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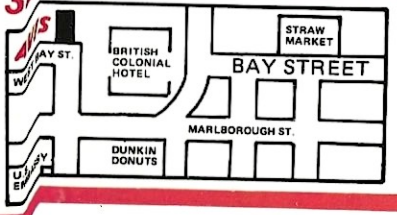

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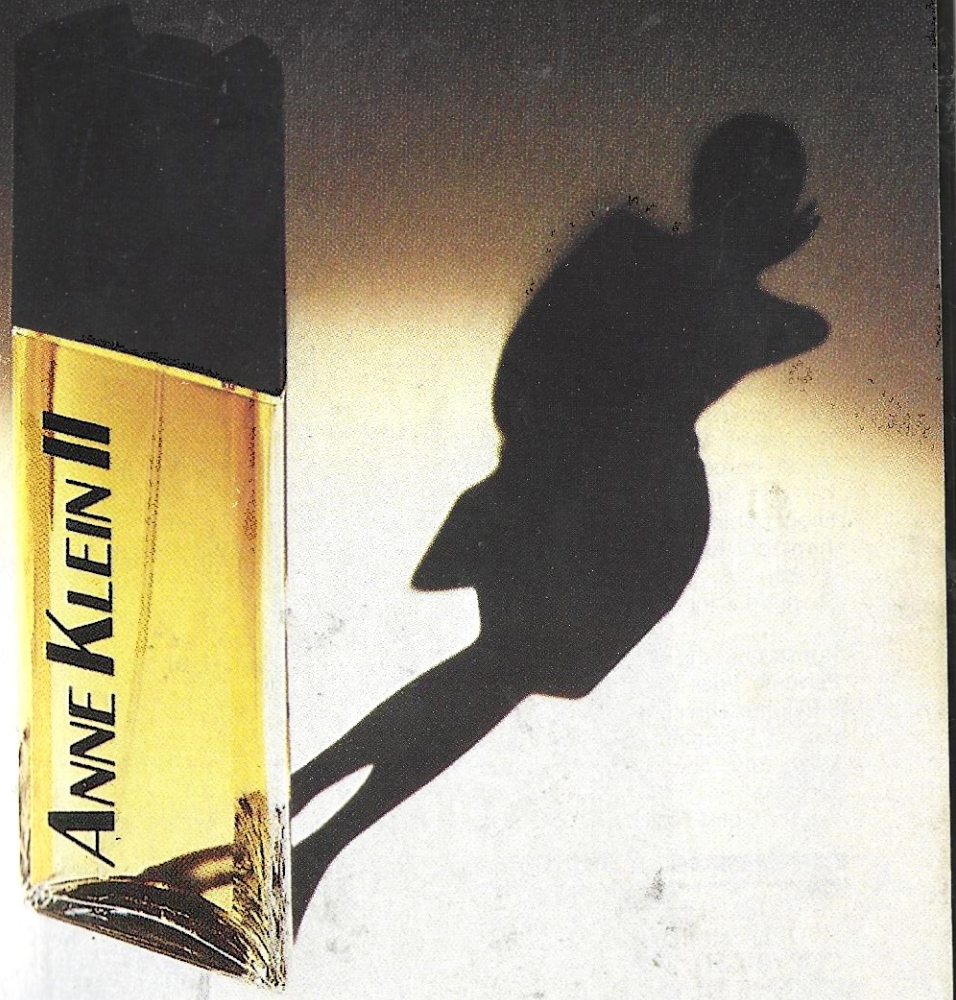

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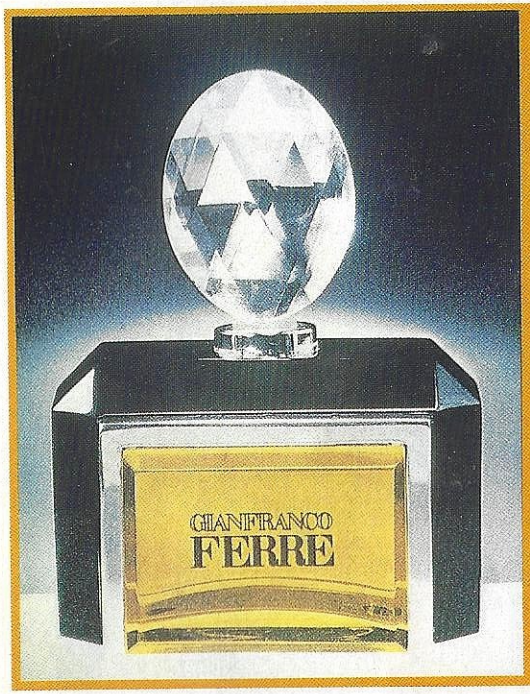

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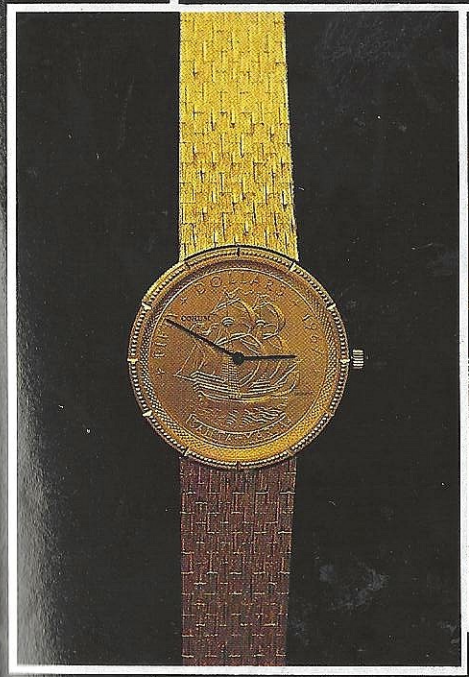

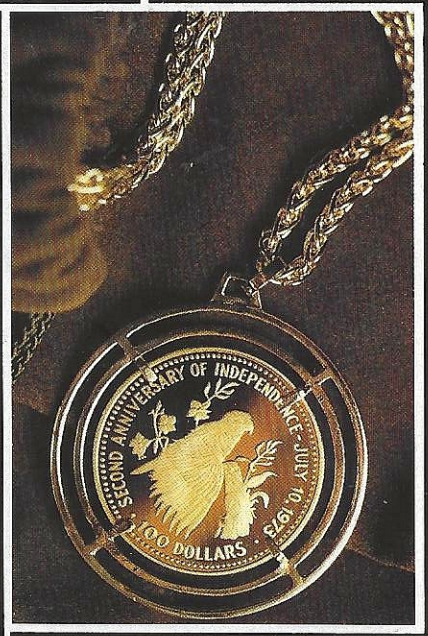

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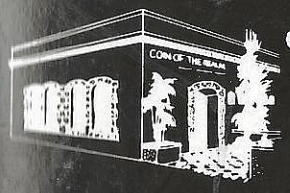

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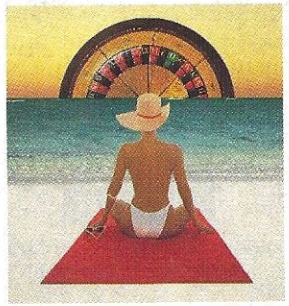

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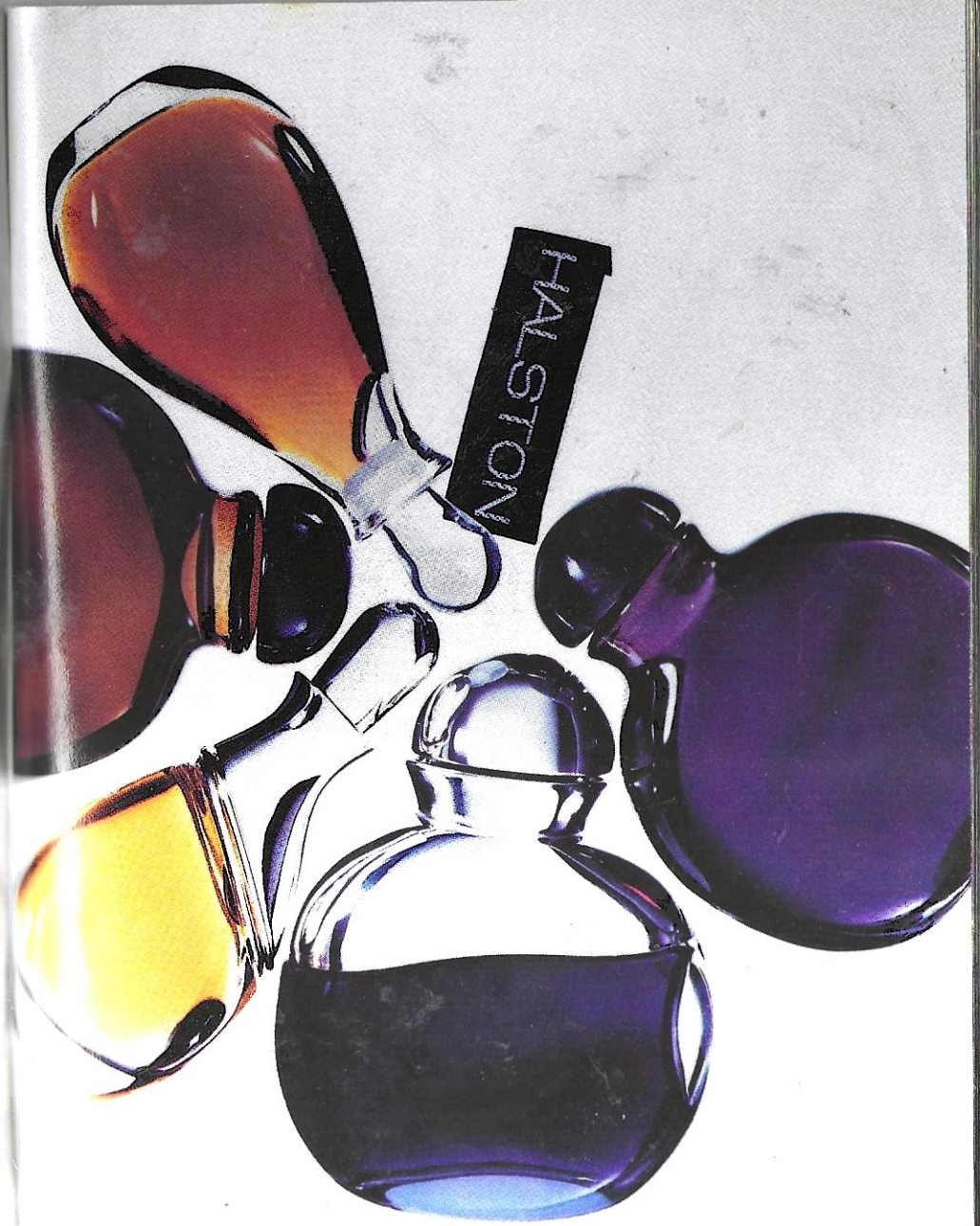

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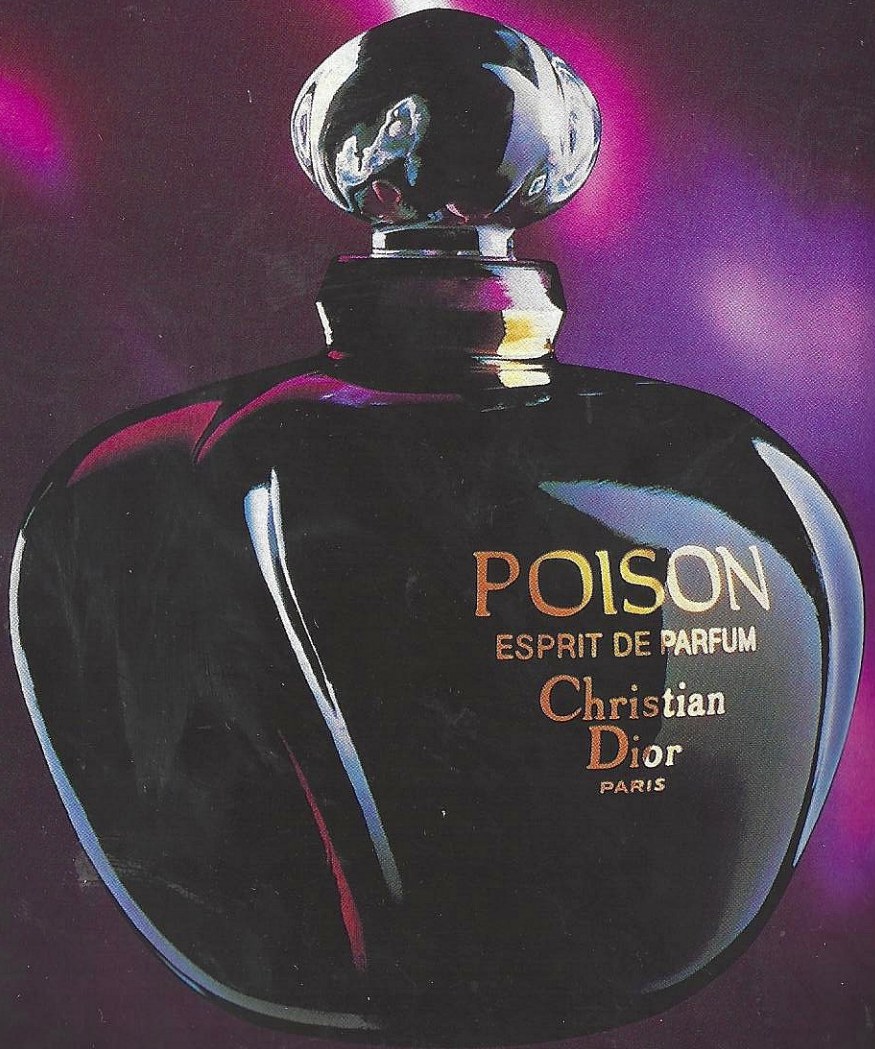

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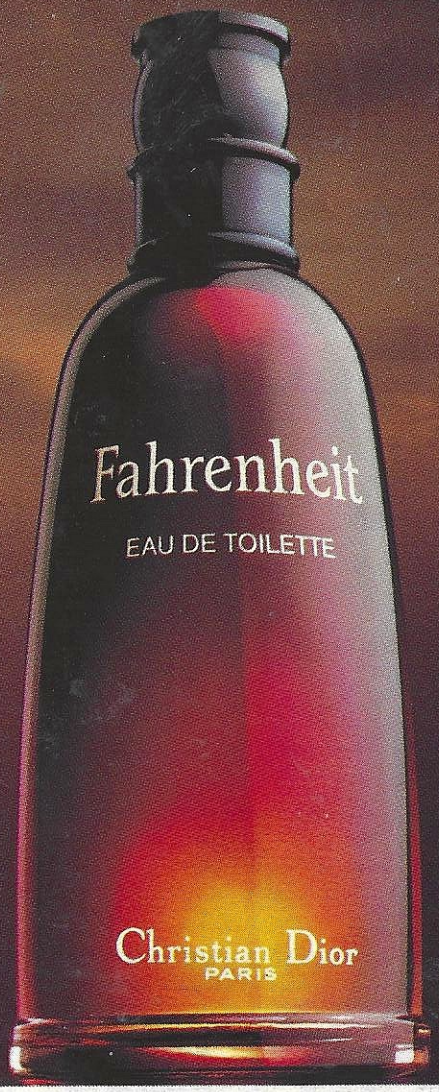

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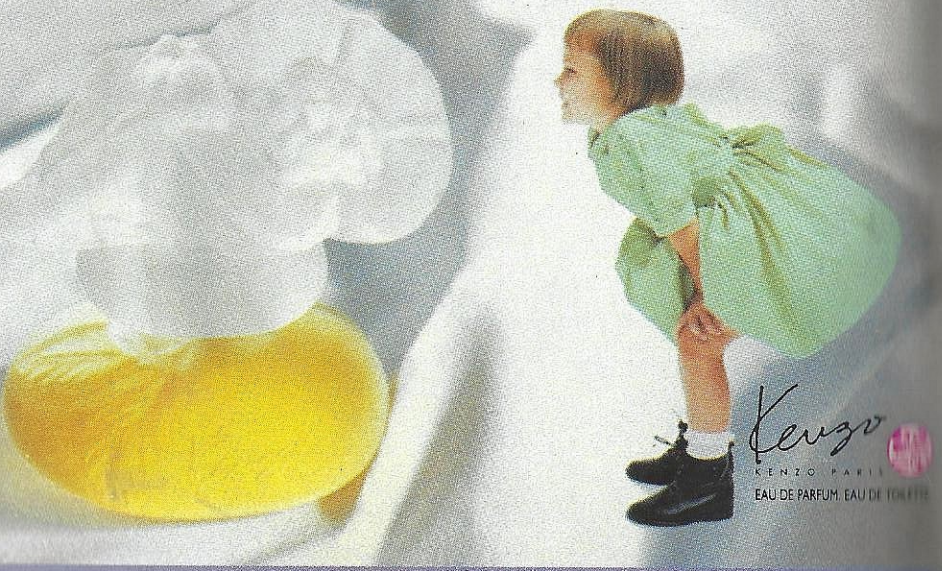

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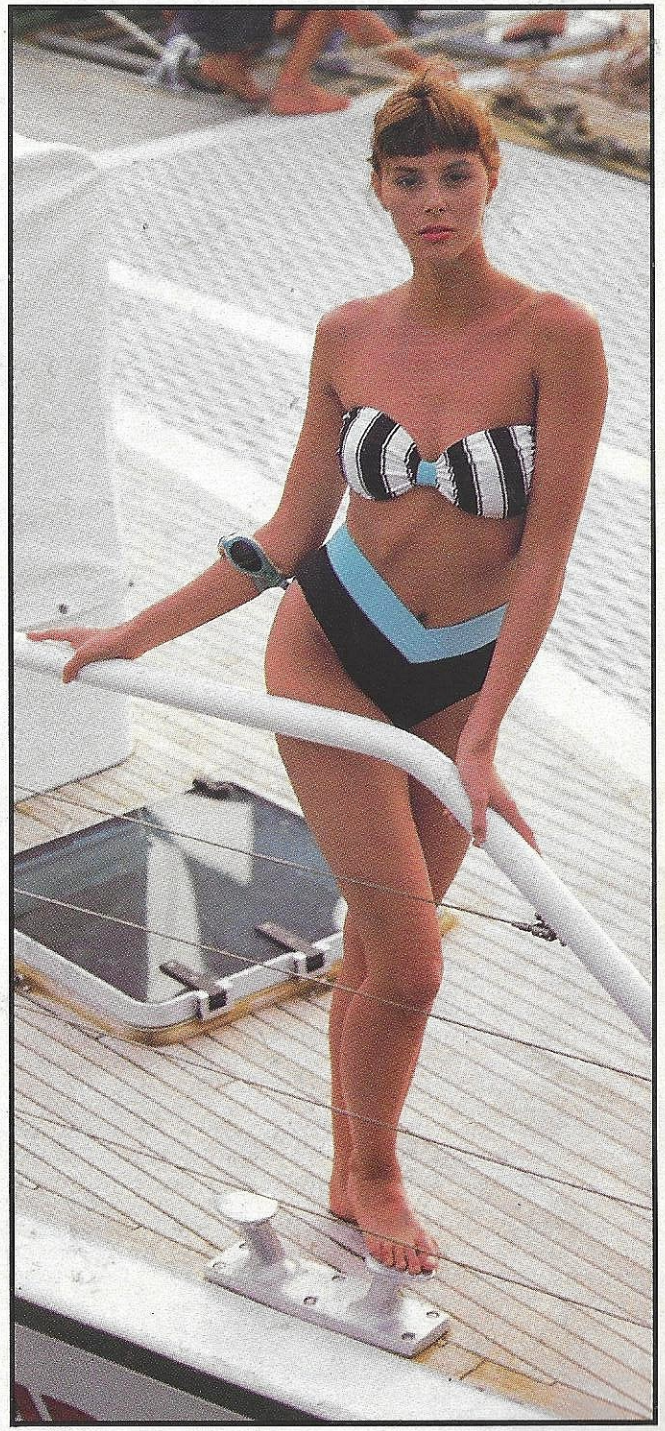

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July – Aug. 30 – Goombay Summer Festival, a series of special events incorporating the Junkanoo sound. Wed. evenings on Bay St., food fairs, and the Royal Bahamas Police Force Band in parade 6-10:30 p.m.

July 1-3 – Annual Cat Cay Red Belcher Invitational Memorial Family Fishing Tournament (all fish), Cat Cay Club, Cat Cay.

July 4-10 – Regatta week, Green Turtle Cay, Abaco.

July 5 – Supreme Court Opening. Picturesque ceremony. Royal Bahamas Police Force Band performs.

July 6-8 – Commonwealth Fair, Exhibition of the country's accomplishments in industry, agriculture and trade.

July 6-9 – Bahamas Boating Fling to Bimini. From Ft. Lauderdale to Bimini Big Game Fishing Club.

July 8 – Changing of the Guard, 10 a.m., Government House.

July 10 – Pepsi Cola Independence Open (Medal Singles), Divi Bahamas Beach Resort & Country Club.

July 10 – Independence Day, public holiday.

July 13-16 – Bahamas Boating Fling to Bimini. From Ft. Lauderdale to Bimini Blue Water Resort.

July 28 – People-To-People Tea Party, Government House Ballroom. Contact Sylvia Cole, 362-5371.

July 30 – 10th Annual Lyford Cay Golf Classic (two ball/best ball), Lyford Cay Golf Course.

Aug. 5 – Changing of the Guard, 10 a.m., Government House.

Aug. 7 –Emancipation Day, public holiday.

Aug. 7-11 – Native Tournament (all fish), Bimini Blue Water Resort, Bimini.

Aug. 13-20 – Caribbean Amateur Golf Championship (Individual Team Stroke Play), Paradise Island Golf Course.

Aug. 15 – Fox Hill Day, Fox Hill.

Aug. 17-20 – Bahamas Boating Fling to Bimini. From Ft. Lauderdale to Bimini Blue Water Resort.

Aug. 19 – Changing of the Guard, 10 a.m., Government House.

Aug. 24-27 – Bahamas Boating Fling to Bimini. From Ft. Lauderdale to Bimini Big Game Fishing Club.

Aug. 25 – People-To-People Tea Party, Government House Ballroom. Contact Sylvia Cole, 362-5371.

Aug. 27 – Finco Open (2 ball all) at Paradise Golf Course.

Sept.-Dec. – Discovery Season celebrations leading up to the 1992 Quincentennial (500th Anniversary of Columbus's landing in the New World). Cultural events held weekly in Nassau & San Salvador.

Sept. 2 – Changing of The Guard, 10 a.m, Government House

Sept. 6-9 – Small B.O.A.T Tourn., Bimini Big Game Fishing Club, Bimini.

Sept. 16 – Changing of the Guard 10 a.m., Government House.

Sept. 29 – Manufacturer's Life Medal Gross, Cable Beach Golf Course.

Sept. 30 – Changing of the Guard, 10 a.m., Government House.

Oct. 4 – Supreme Court Opening. Picturesque ceremony. Royal Bahamas Police Force Band performs.

Oct. 12 – Discovery Day, public holiday.

Oct. 14 – Changing of The Guard, 10 a.m., Government House

Oct. 22-28 – Bahamas Fly-In Tour, Ft. Pierce (Florida) to The Bahamas.

Oct. 26-28 – Bonefish Bonanza I Tourn., Peace & Plenty Hotel George Town, Exuma.

Oct. 28 –Changing of the Guard, 10 a.m., Government House.

Nov. 11 –Changing of the Guard, 10 a.m., Government House.

Nov. 18-19 – Bordens, Steele-Perkins Memorial & Best Ball (Gross Best Ball Championships), Paradise Is.

Nov. 22-25 – The Wahoo, Bimini Big Game Fishing Club, Bimini.

Nov. 22-25 – Central Bank of The Bahamas Annual Art Exhibition & Competition.

Nov. 25 – Changing of the Guard, 10 a.m., Government House.

Nov. 30-Dec. 2 – Adam Clayton Powell Memorial Wahoo Tournament, Bimini Blue Water Resort, Bimini.

Dec. 4-10 – Marlboro Bahamas Intl. Tennis Open, Ocean Club, Paradise Is.

Dec. 9 – Changing of the Guard, 10 a.m., Government House.

Dec. 23 – Changing of the Guard, 10 a.m., Government House.

Dec. 25 – Christmas Day, public holiday.

Dec. 26 – Boxing Day, public holiday; Junkanoo parade beginning around 4 a.m.

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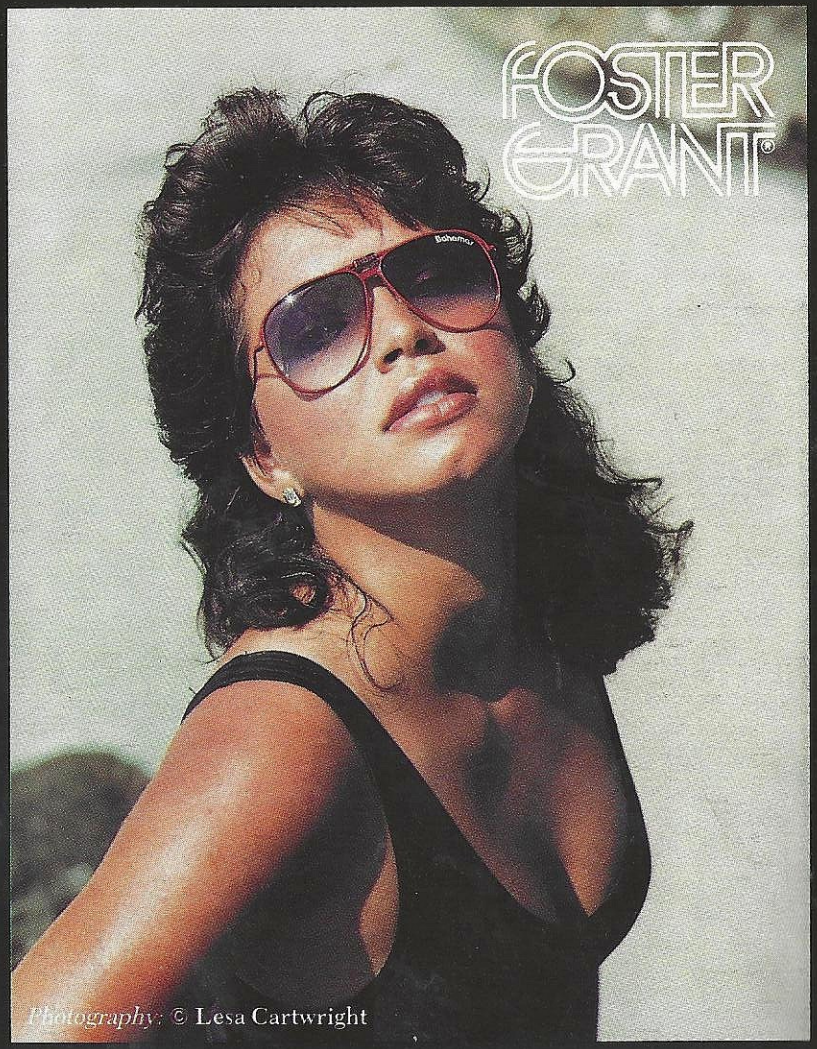

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This expression is Bahamian dialect for "These Are Our Things".

What are our things?

According to the theme song in *Dis We Tings:*

Seasonal Treats

"We got hogplum and sapodilly, dis we tings."

Hogplums and sapodillas are just a few of the tropical, tasty treats available on our shores. Sapodillas, also known as dillies, taste somewhat like spicy apples. They grow on a tree that also produces chicle, used for chewing gum. In season about four months a year, they are inexpensive and plentiful.

Hogplums are bite-size, oval fruits with a taste all their own – one is never enough. When ripe, hogplums take on an orange shade; but some locals also enjoy them green, with a dash of salt and black pepper.

Other seasonal fruits in The Bahamas include:

Pineapple, sweet banana, sugar apple, sea grape, guava, mango, coco plum, guinep, soursop, avocado, tangerine, tamarind and papaya.

Most Bahamian fruits can be eaten out-of-hand, except for breadfruit and plantain. These two are cooked. Local fruits can be purchased at open-air stands along Potter's Cay, from road-side stands and at local markets. Also tasty are Bahamian cakes, candies and preserves made from these exotic fruits.

Traditional Feast

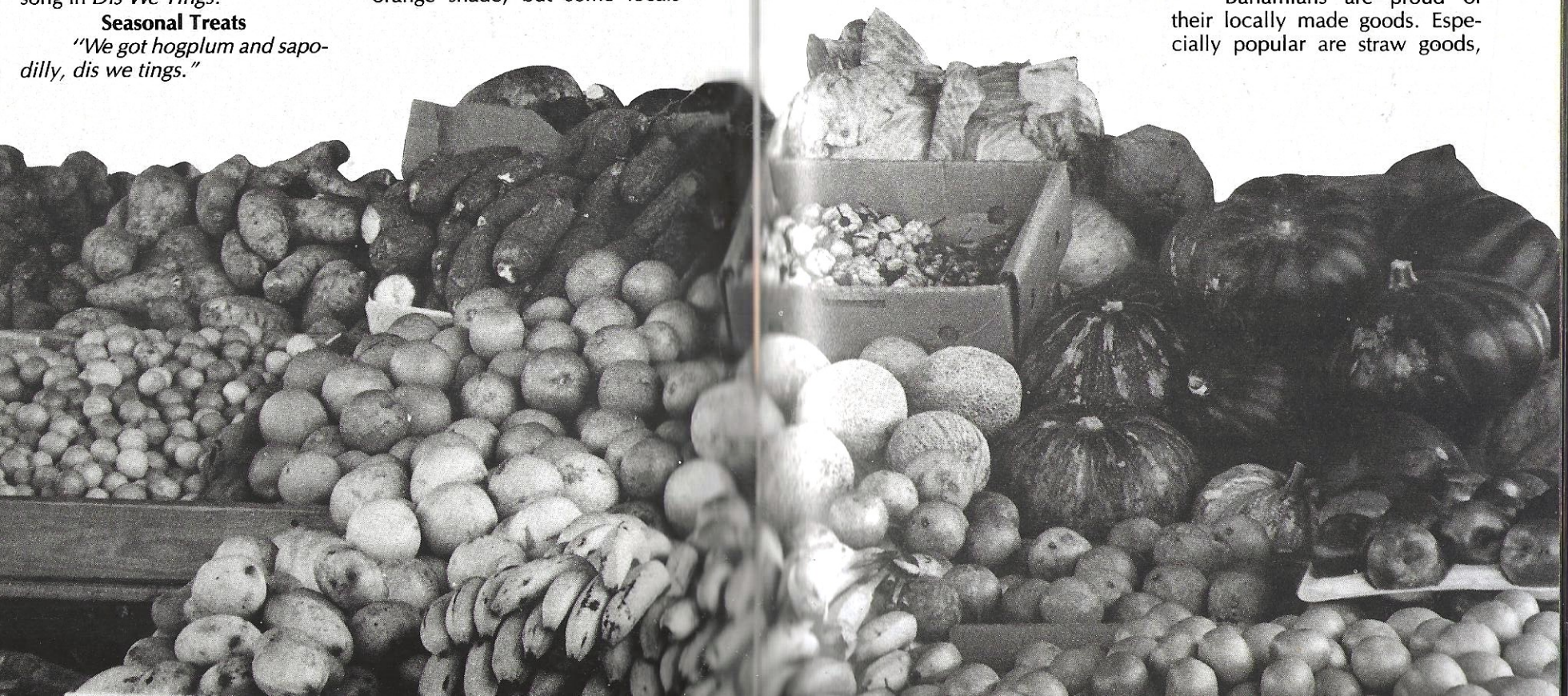
"We got boil fish and Johnny, man dis we tings."

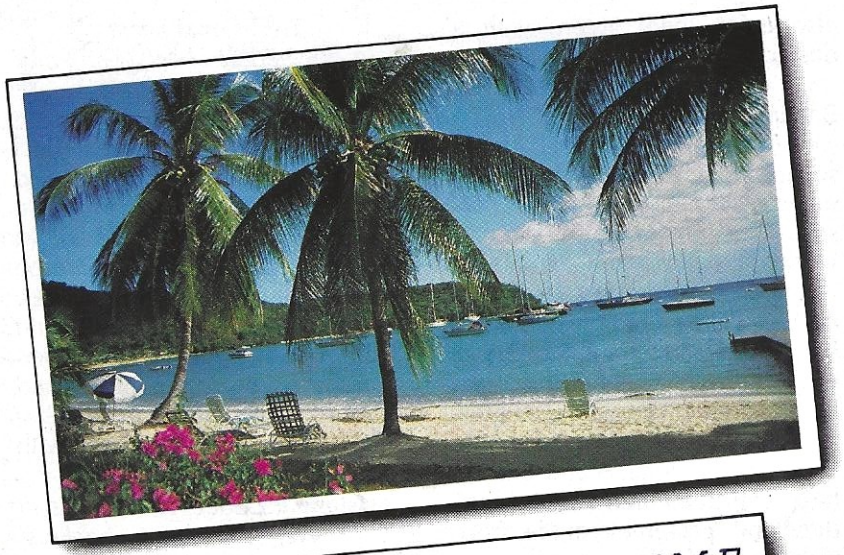
Boiled fish, usually made from grouper, is a popular dish among the locals and is regarded as a traditional must for festive occasions. A favourite breakfast dish, boiled fish also is said to be an infallible cure for a hangover. The fish is seasoned with salt and red-hot bird peppers, then boiled in water, lime juice, butter and onions. To go all-the-way Bahamian, Johnny cake should go with your boiled fish.

Island Products & Pleasure

"We got straw baskets, conch shell, horse and carriage on Bay Street..."

Bahamians are proud of their locally made goods. Especially popular are straw goods,





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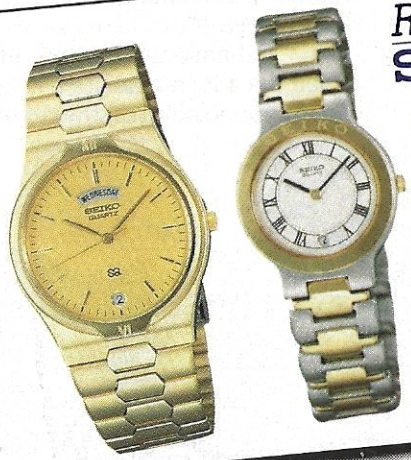

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Chances are, if you ask about the national favourite dish, the answer will be conch (pronounced *conk*). The shell of this luscious shellfish is put to many creative uses. Considered one of the most beautiful of all sea shells, it is used to make a variety of jewellery. The rich pink tones of the shell are ideal with silver and gold settings, or with plain links and chains. Bahamian shops and straw markets feature conchshell pendants, bracelets, earrings, brooches and rings. When cleaned and polished, conch shells make attractive and durable souvenirs, as well as unusual musical instruments.

There is no better way to explore the historical downtown area than by horse and carriage. In Nassau, you don't just ride in ordinary carriages, you ride in "moving" original art forms with peculiar names. Most drivers display colourful artworks and designs on the sides of their carriages – everything from local flowers to beach scenes. You'll see names like It's Better in The Bahamas and Royal Coach II, which got its name after Queen Elizabeth II took a carriage ride on a Royal Visit.

Bahamian Events

No matter what time of the year, there's always a special Bahamian event in progress. During the summer for example, there's Goombay Summer Festival, held each Wednesday night on Bay Street. Taking its name from an old African word that's used for Bahamian-style music, the summer fest features The Royal Bahamas Police Band and Goombay Dancers wearing shimmering raffia costumes. Vigorous goatskin drummers perform in the background.

You'll also get a chance to sample native food specialties from vendors along the sidewalk. Other events include Junkanoo, Changing of the Guard, the Red Cross Fair, and the Miss Bahamas Pageant.

If you've never "gone native" during a vacation – start now and experience The Bahamas like a Bahamian. Savour and taste all that Bahamians have to offer; then you'll understand why *"we have so much to be proud of, living in dis island free",* as in the *Dis we Tings* theme song.

(Ed. Note: *Dis We Tings* was the first production of the Dundas Theatre 1989 Repertoire Season. The show was originated by Kayla Edwards and Derek Burrows. Winston Saunders was director, and Nicolette Bethel wrote the script. Marcel T. Sherman served as stage manager, and Phillip Burrows was in charge of lighting).

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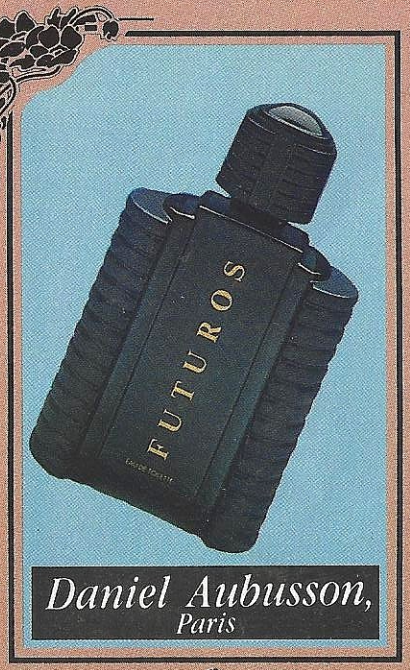

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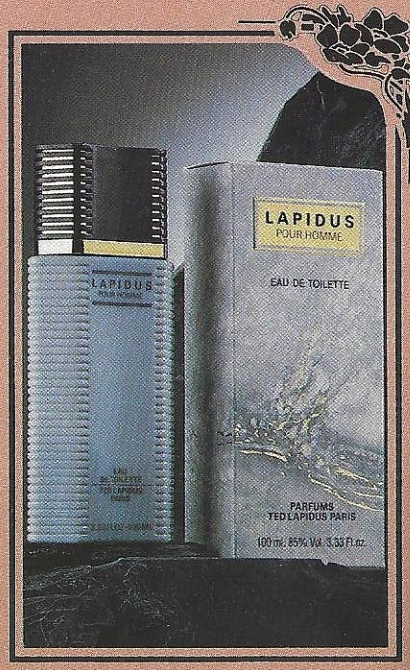

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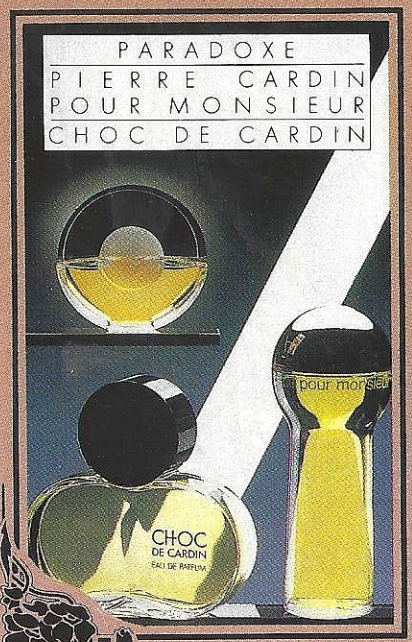

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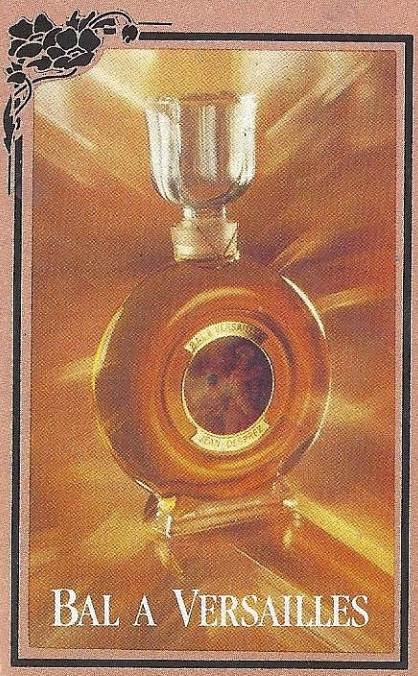

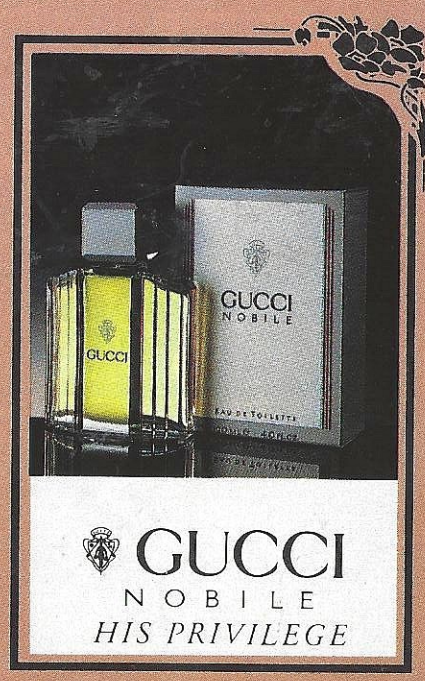

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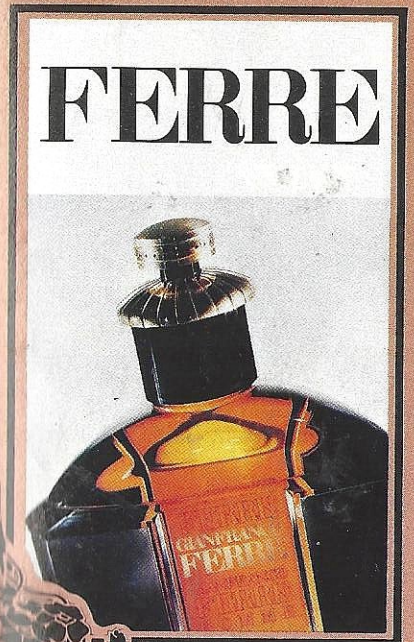

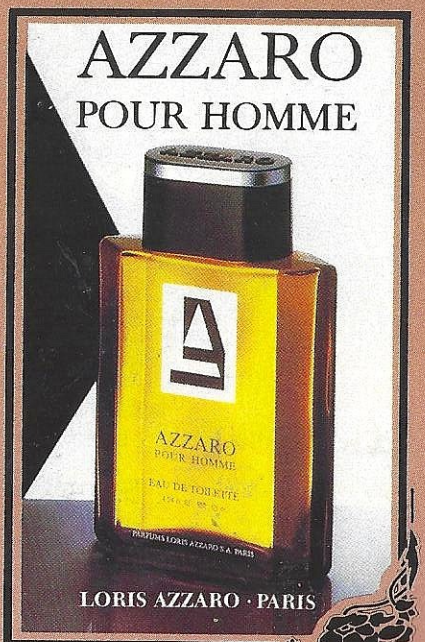

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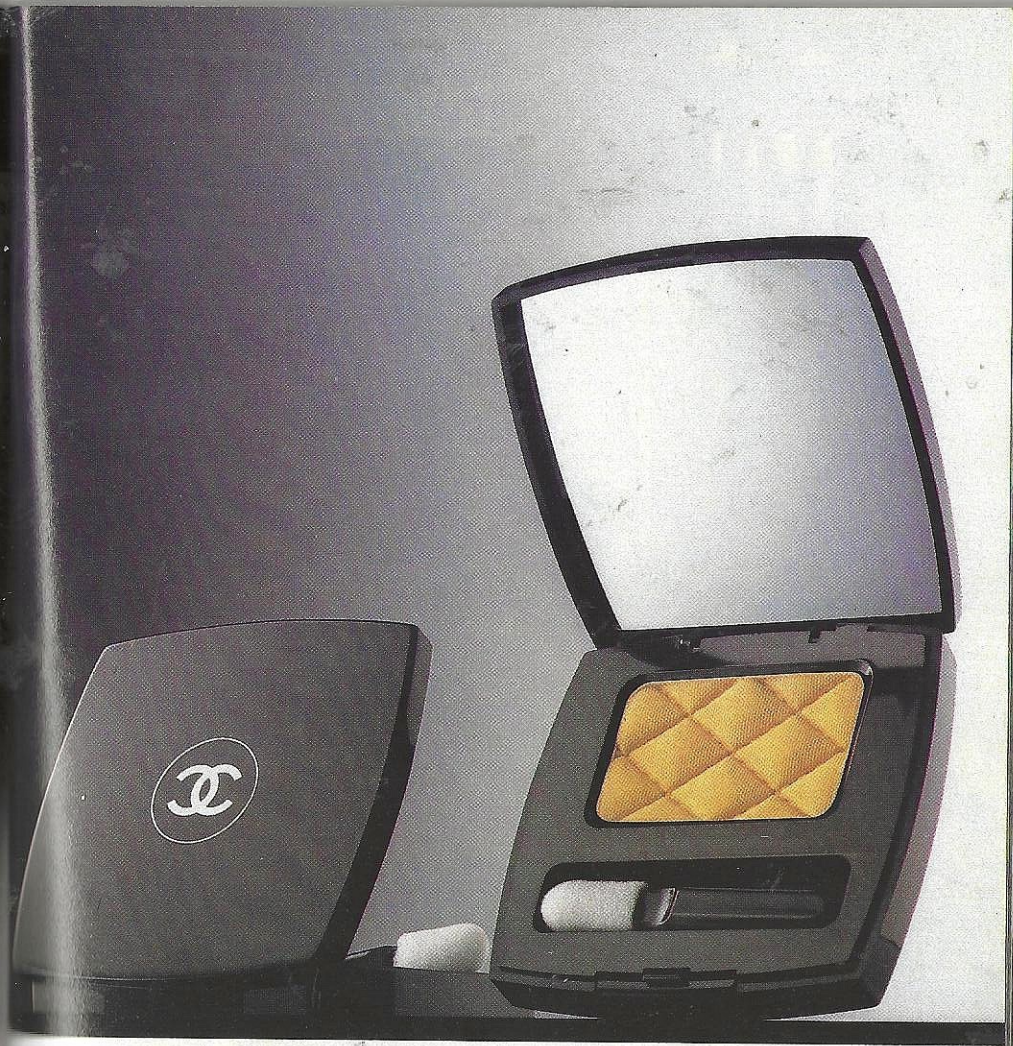

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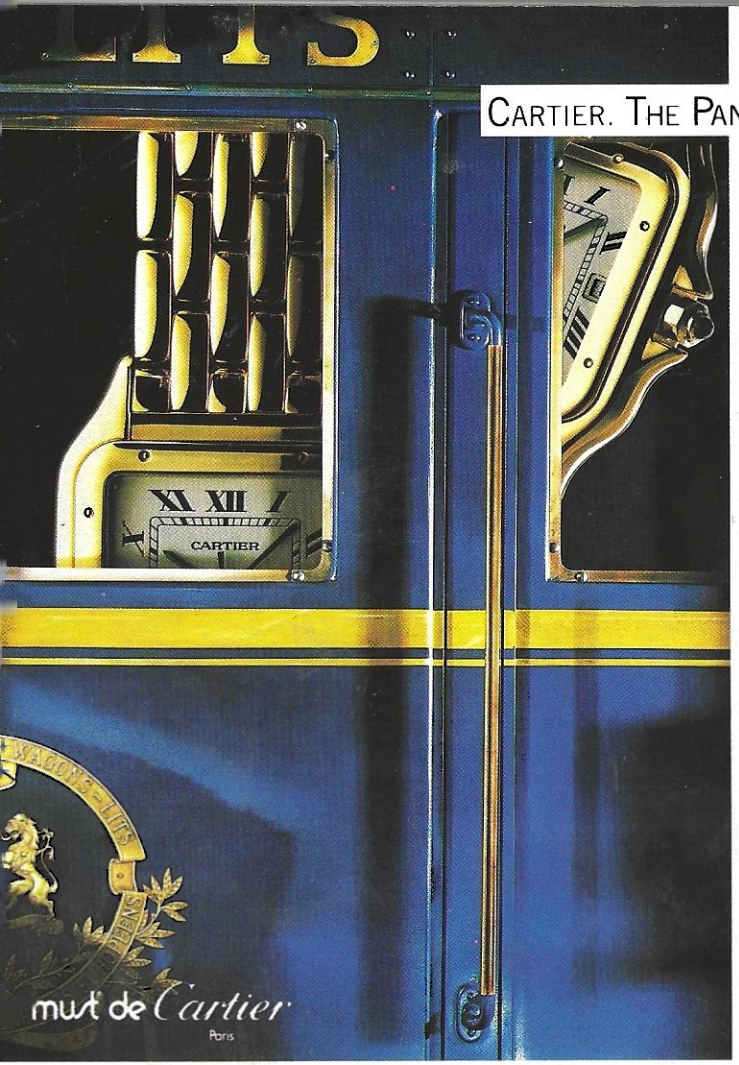

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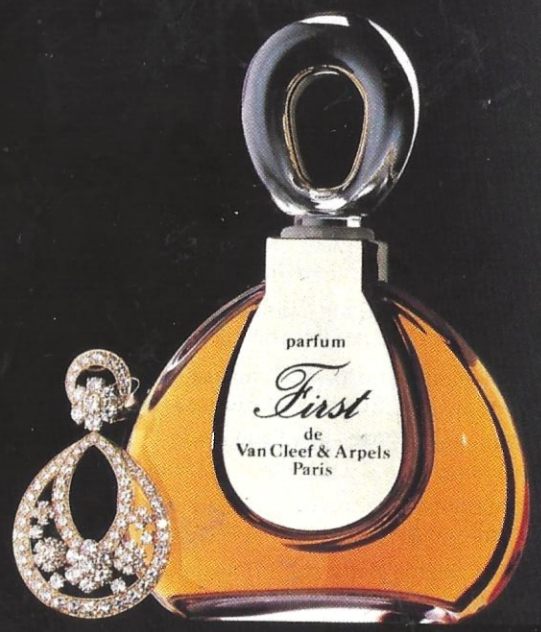

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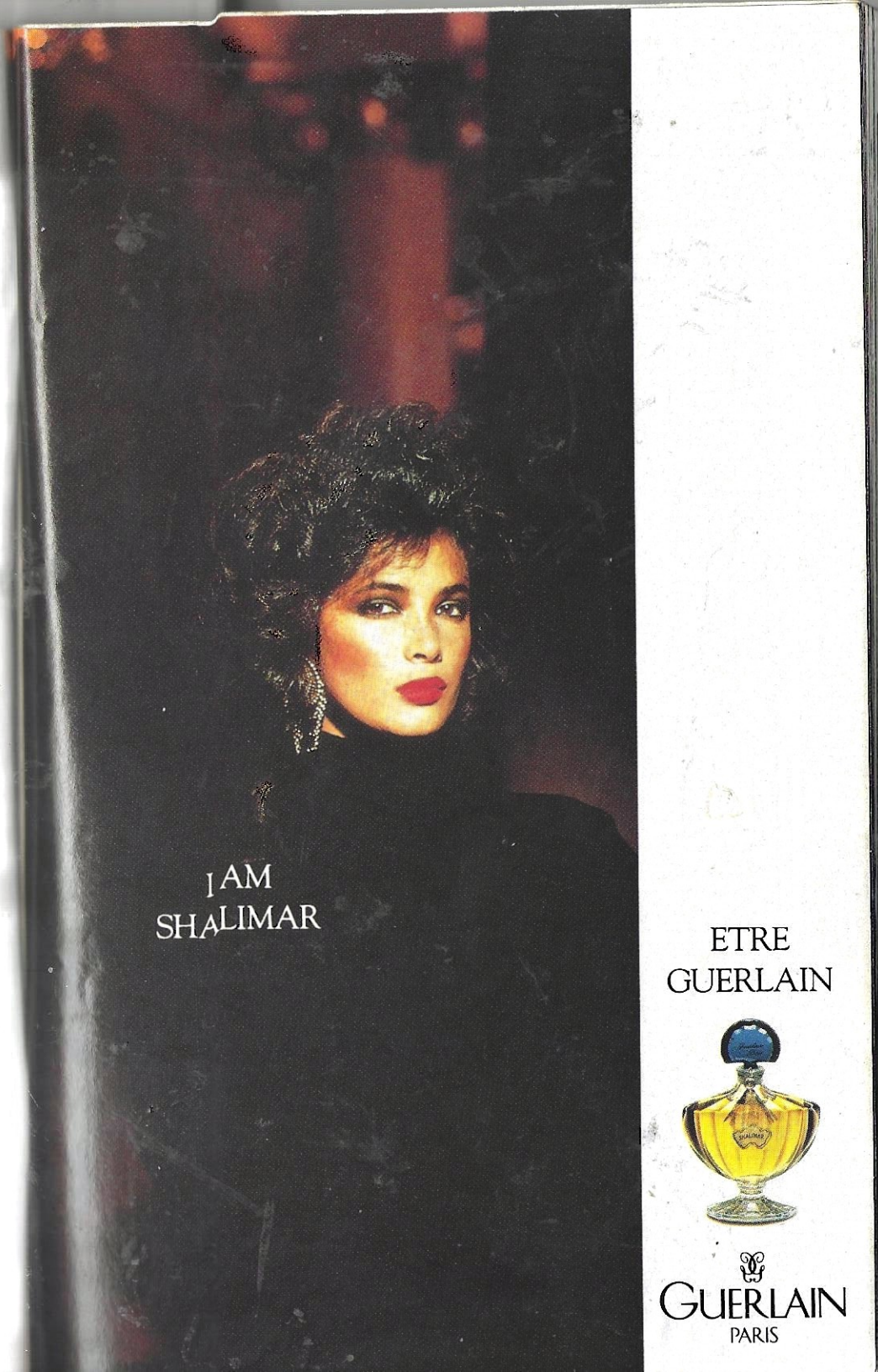

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Canadian Women's Club (Cathy Darville) 362-1137
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Hispanic Women's Club (Carmina Pelaez) 326-4250
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Innerwheel Club of Nassau (Helen Scates) 324-2888
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Innerwheel Club of East Nassau (Mrs. Elaine Forde) 323-1975
Meets second to last Tues. of month at Nassau Yacht Club, 7:30 p.m.

Kiwanis Club of Cable Beach (Charles Johnson) 328-2774
Dinner meeting every Wed. night at Tony Roma's, West Bay St., 7:30 p.m.

Kiwanis Club of Nassau (Vernon Deal) 323-2641
Meets every Thurs. at Harbour Cove Inn, 12:30 p.m.

Kiwanis A.M. Club of Nassau (Craig Gomez) 322-3805
Meets every Mon., Ambassador Beach Hotel Dining Room, 7:30 p.m.

Kiwanis Club of Fort Montagu (Dewitt Duncanson) 363-2424
Meets every Tues. at Coral Room, Pilot House Hotel, 7:00 p.m.

Kiwanis Club of Over-the-Hill (Kendal Hepburn) 323-7355
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Lions Club (Mike Martinborough) 322-2693
Meets second and fourth Thurs. Lions Club, Thompson Blvd., 8:00 p.m.

Nassau Jaycees (Miss Sophia Bullard) 323-1966
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Rotary Club of Nassau (J.E. Tertullien) 322-4723
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Rotary Club of East Nassau (Warren Knowles) 393-4206
Meets every Fri. at Harbour Cove Inn, 12:30 p.m.

Rotary Club of West Nassau (Alpheus Finlayson) 322-8405
Meets every Thurs. at Buena Vista Restaurant, 12:30 p.m.

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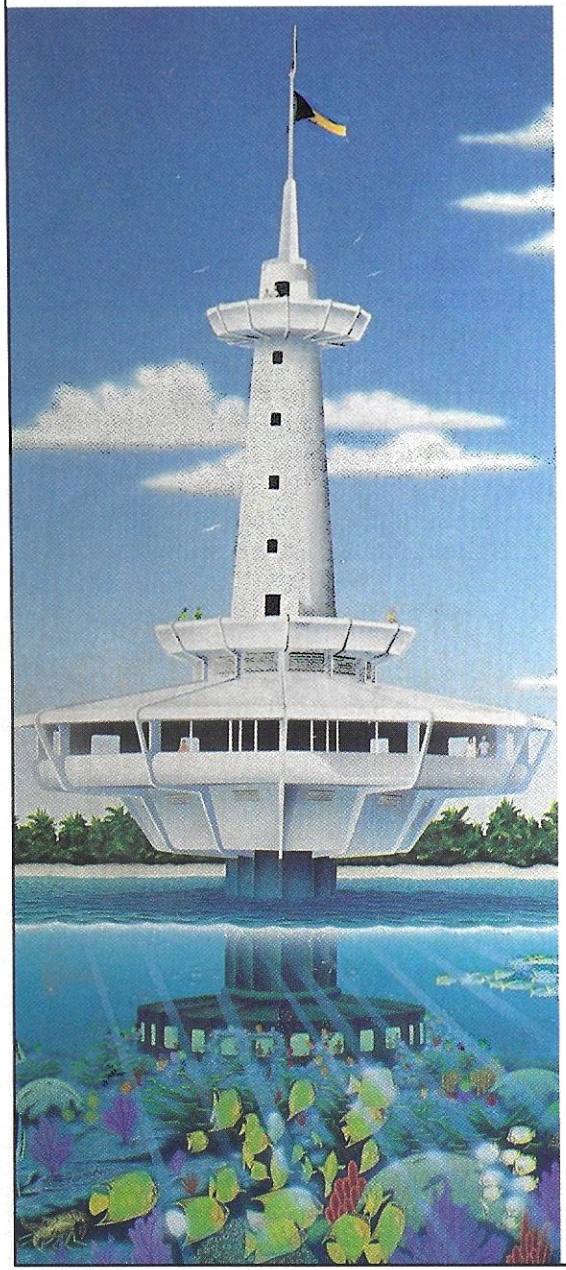

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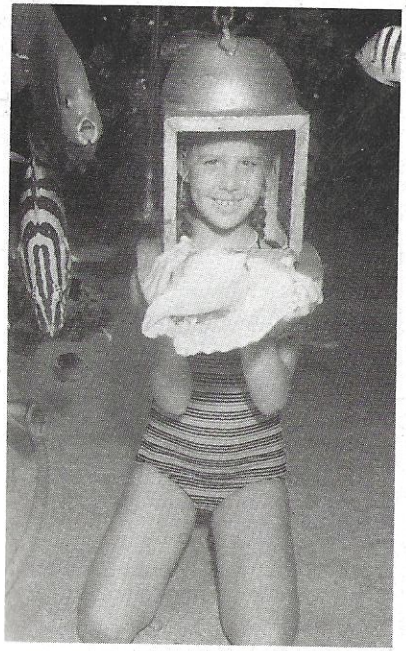

See it dry or see it wet – but don't miss the magic of exploring The Bahamas below the sea. After all, there are 100,000 square miles of open sea in the Bahama Islands. These waters deserve more than cursory examination.

To "sight sea" at magnificent Coral World, cross a walkway to the exciting underwater observatory that suggests a futuristic space ship – something like a flying saucer.

Once inside, the visitor will be treated to a view of tropical-reef marine life as nature intended it to be. The reef has been skilfully arranged around the underwater observatory, which has its own underwater post office.

That's right. Visitors can postmark their own cards in this country's only underwater post office. The mail is collected daily. Post cards and stamps are available at Coral World shops.

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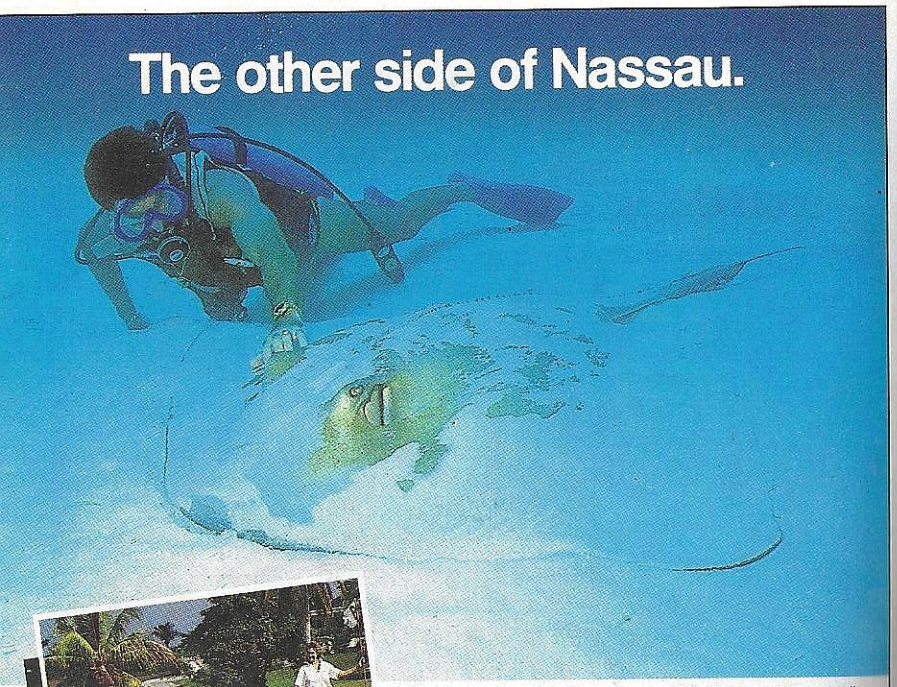
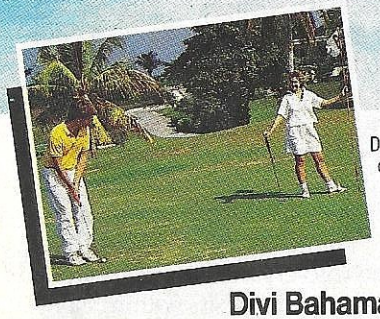
The other side of Nassau.





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Visitors to our shores have long been impressed by the outstanding selection of watches available here. Local jewellery shops display everything from watches with Roman numerals to digitals – priced from the affordable to top-of-the-line luxury.

Today, watches are more than just utilitarian. They have gone far beyond the "time" and have become expressions of *you*, reflecting your mood, life-style and taste. Choose from a new variety of faces, features, textures, sizes and colours. With the introduction of affordable fashion watch lines, fashion-conscious people can own several watches.

Information At A Glance

Digitals are more sophisticated than ever before and are ideal for those who want a variety of information, available at a glance. Some feature hi-frequency crystals, solid state modules, long-life batteries and large scale integrated circuits. Also on display are chronographs with split-second precision and devices to measure elapsed time in minutes and seconds.

Waterproof Watches

Popular among divers are water-resistant watches with a standard water-tested depth of 300 to 1,000 feet. However, you don't have to be a diver to appreciate the special features of waterproof watches – they're ideal for every-day occasions. In addition to resisting water, they keep out dust, sand and perspiration and protect the movement from anything that could impede its performance.

Watches For All Occasions

Watches in gold and silver-tone with bracelet chains and leather straps are on the rise – perfect with everything from casual and business clothes to dressy attire.

For the young and young-at-heart, there are functional and practical watches with interchangeable coloured straps and bezels. Made from plastic, they can be adjusted in seconds, to match the colours of any wardrobe.

Top-Of-The-Line

Those who seek top-of-the-line luxury watches will be impressed with the wide range of exquisite collections available here. On display are elegant watches with gem-encrusted bracelets and watches with single diamonds set into the dials. Also

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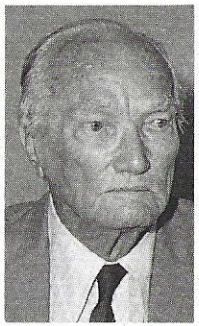

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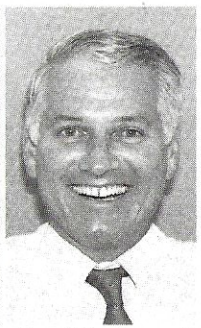


Fred Hazlewood

Forbes Magazine placed it in the category with top stores in Hong Kong for best buys.

Knight Ridder newspapers gave it top marks and recommended it as a "must" in tourist shopping in The Bahamas.

And now after tremendous growth since the late-1920s, the famous Bay Street store John Bull observes its 60th anniversary this year.

Established in 1929 as a tobacco shop and named John Bull after an old English tobacco house in London, the Bay Street store still occupies a spot on Bay Street just east of Rawson Square. It moved to its present location from George Street in 1949. A large portion of the Bay Street property dates back 150 years when it served as part of the administration building for the Southern United States blockade. Most of the cotton, and later sponge, was processed in this building. When workmen carried out renovations in 1949, they found pieces of cotton still clinging to the rafters.

The founder of John Bull is Sir Asa Pritchard, now 97, and once Speaker of The Bahamas House of Assembly. In addition to John Bull, Sir Asa also founded a wholesale merchant business, now a leader in grocery wholesale merchandising.

In the early 1950s, John Bull added a stationery department to the business. A gift and toy section came later, followed by a jewellery division.

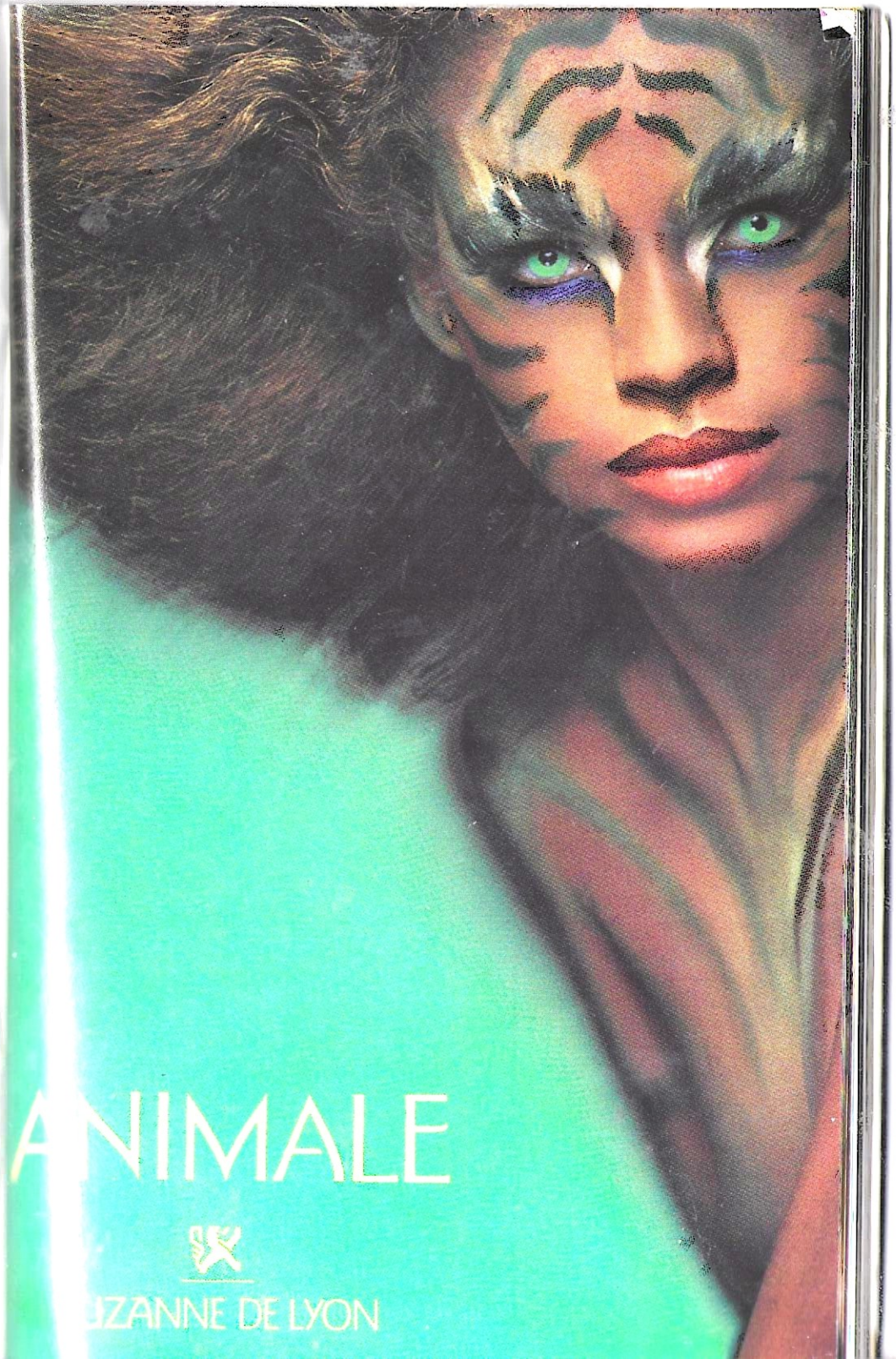
In the mid-1970s, the company experienced notable growth in its office supplies and stationery department, with the latest addition being the John Bull Business Centre located in the busy Centreville area of Nassau. Here, office machines and furniture are the main features.

John Bull has become the exclusive agent in The Bahamas for many international lines of cameras, perfumes and watches, such as Rolex, which John Bull has represented exclusively for more than 30 years.

The John Bull Parfumerie and Designer Boutique, said to be the largest of its kind in The Bahamas, has a wide selection of the world's finest fragrances, cosmetics and designer accessories.

In addition to the Bay Street store, John Bull has other fine shops on Paradise Island, in Freeport and Marsh Harbour, Abaco.

A family-operated business, John Bull now enters its 60th year of operation under the guidance of Fred Hazlewood, a third-generation family member.



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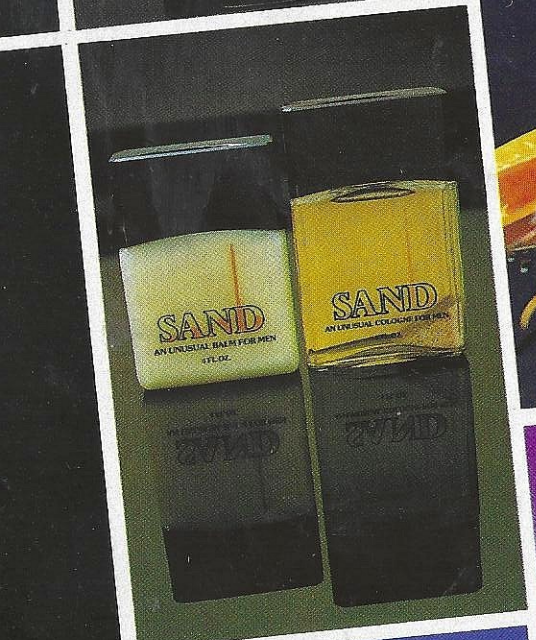

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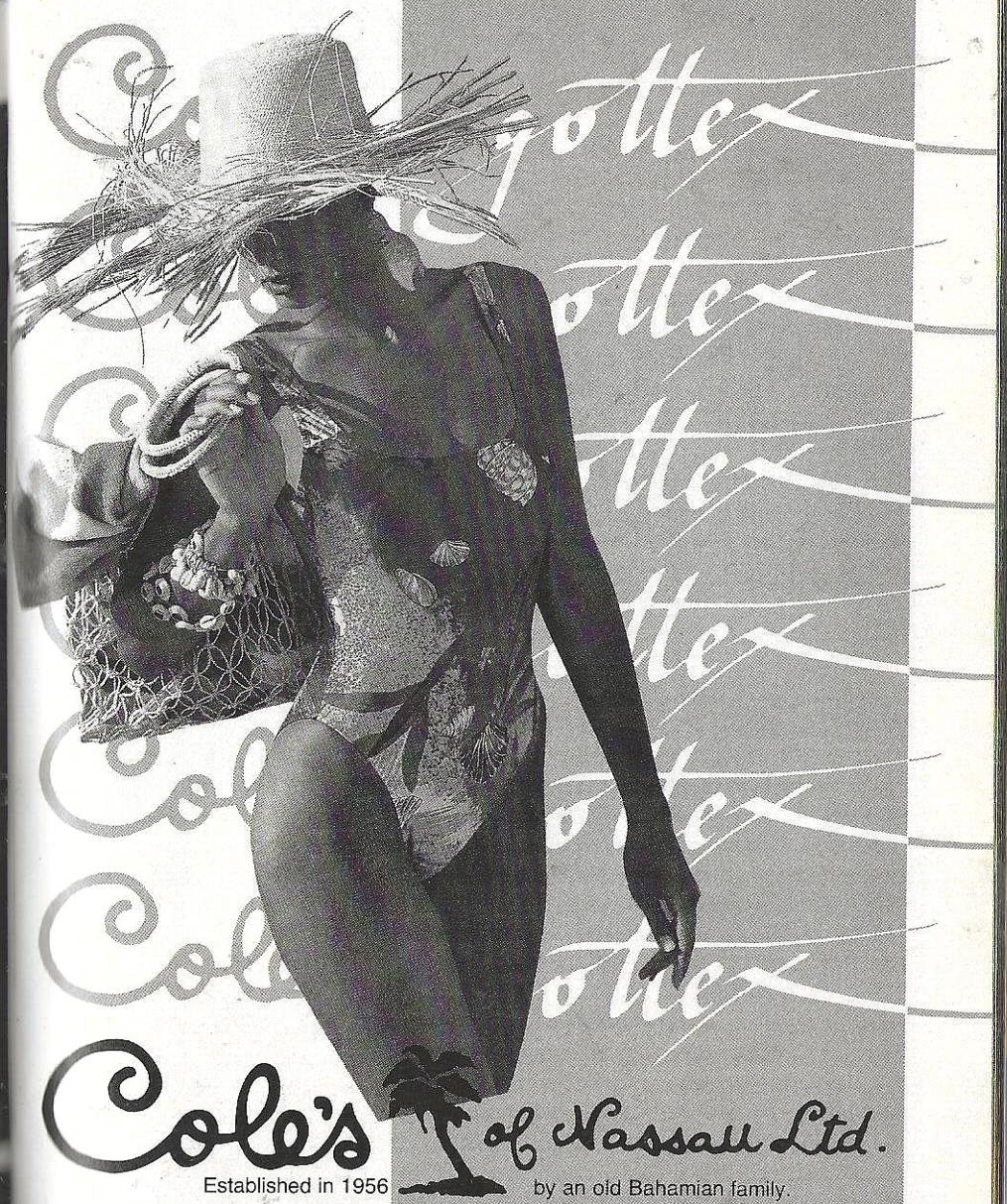

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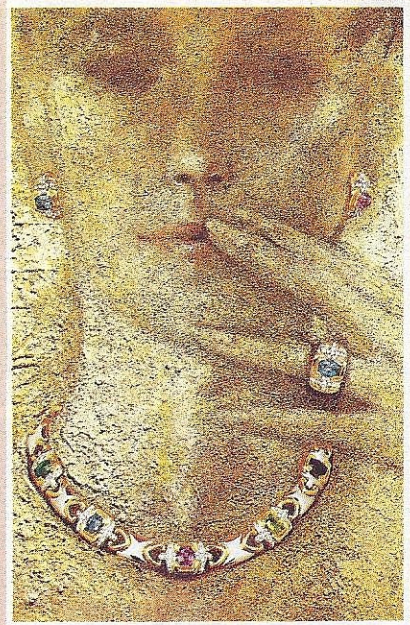

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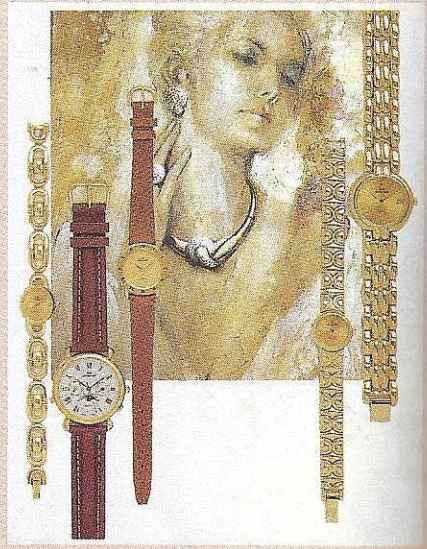

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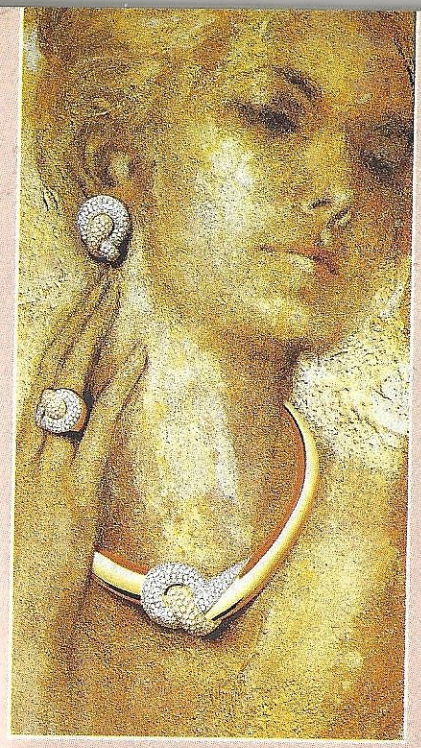

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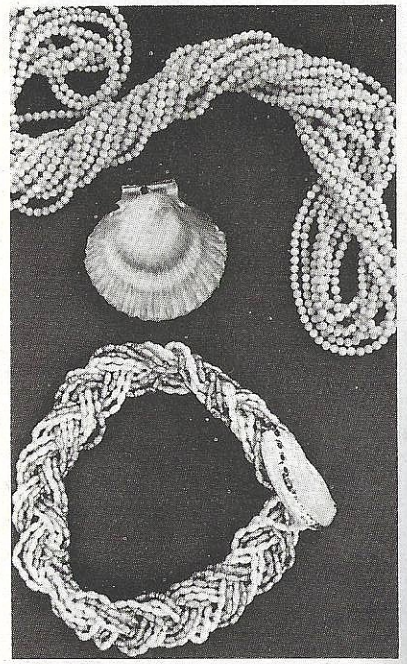

Wait long enough and most everything comes back in style, according to many moguls of fashion.

It's certainly true that the old-time ideas on jewels are back in high style. You see, when jewellery first became popular, it was a matter of sorcery and the metaphysical. Certain gems and crystals were believed to be endowed with special powers.

One of the hottest trends in jewellery today is the idea that jewels can heal the mind and spirit. That's what the ancients thought. For example, the Greeks of long ago wore an amethyst crystal because it would keep them sober. Or so they thought.

Today, people are buying up crystals and unset stones widely available in Bahamian stores. Many believe these stones renew one's energy and provide positive feelings for the wearer.

The so called Baby Boomers are leading the way in the rush to buy special stones. Many believe these baubles are as powerful as represented by yogis, gurus, and Shirley MacLaine. Inexpensive crystals, available in Bahamian stores, have been credited with healing everything from a headached to a heartache.

Some say crystal and jewels heal all troubles of the mind and spirit. Non-believers tend to ridicule the stone situation. The important thing is, if it works for you, go for it. If nothing else, jewels provide beauty and that

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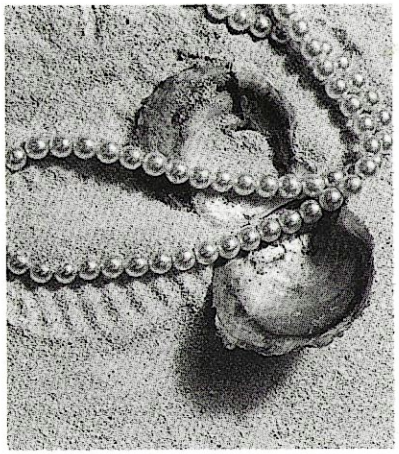

Emeralds are reputed to strengthen memory, calm a troubled mind and promote creativity. The ruby enhances self-image and is believed by some to protect health and wealth. Sapphires reportedly contribute to wisdom and stimulate motivation.

Make sure to look at pearls (femininity), coral (well-being), and conch (increased efficiency) as well. They are among the finest gifts from the sea.

alone can be a healer. So here's a great excuse to snap up Bahamian bargains in emeralds, rubies, sapphires and other jewels that take your fancy.

RECOMMENDED STORES:
Ambrosine, Bernard's, Brass & Leather Shops, John Bull, Coin of The Realm, Cole's of Nassau, Coral World, Discount Gold Mine, Discount Warehouse, Gold Ltd., Gucci, Little Switzerland, Mademoiselle, MCM, Nassau Shop, Old Nassau, The Beach Hut, The Scottish Shop, Treasure Box.

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General Information

Banking Hours

Banks are open from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Thursday. They are open from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday.

Currency

If you should run across a Bahamian $3 bill, it's okay. Bahamian paper money runs in half dollar, $1, $3, $5, $10, $20, $50 and $100 bills. Some people take back the $3 bill as a souvenir.

Be careful not to confuse the $3 with the $5 which is easy to do in dimly lit places at night because of their similarity of colour.

There is an extra Bahamian coin as well: the 15-cent piece which is square with rounded edges and decorated with a hibiscus on the reverse. Bahamian currency notes and coins are distinguished by the variety and attractiveness of their designs.

Exchange Rates

The Bahamian dollar is on par with the U.S. dollar; however, one can expect to pay a small commission on exchange of travellers cheques for local currency and when converting local currency into U.S. dollars.

The table below gives approximate values for the Bahamian dollar in relation to Pounds Sterling and the Canadian dollar in mid-1989. Due to constant fluctuation in the rates these figures should only be used as a guide. Commercial banks can provide the day's rates on inquiry.

Health

All places which serve food and drink to the public including native restaurants - are licenced and inspected by Bahamas health authorities. Some visitors experience upset stomachs because of the difference in the drinking water and might prefer bottled water.

Illegal Items

There are strict laws in The Bahamas relating to the possession of dangerous drugs and firearms.

Exchange Rates:

B$/U.S.$	U.K. Sterling	Canadian $
1.00	0.58	1.19
3.00	1.74	3.58
5.00	2.89	5.97
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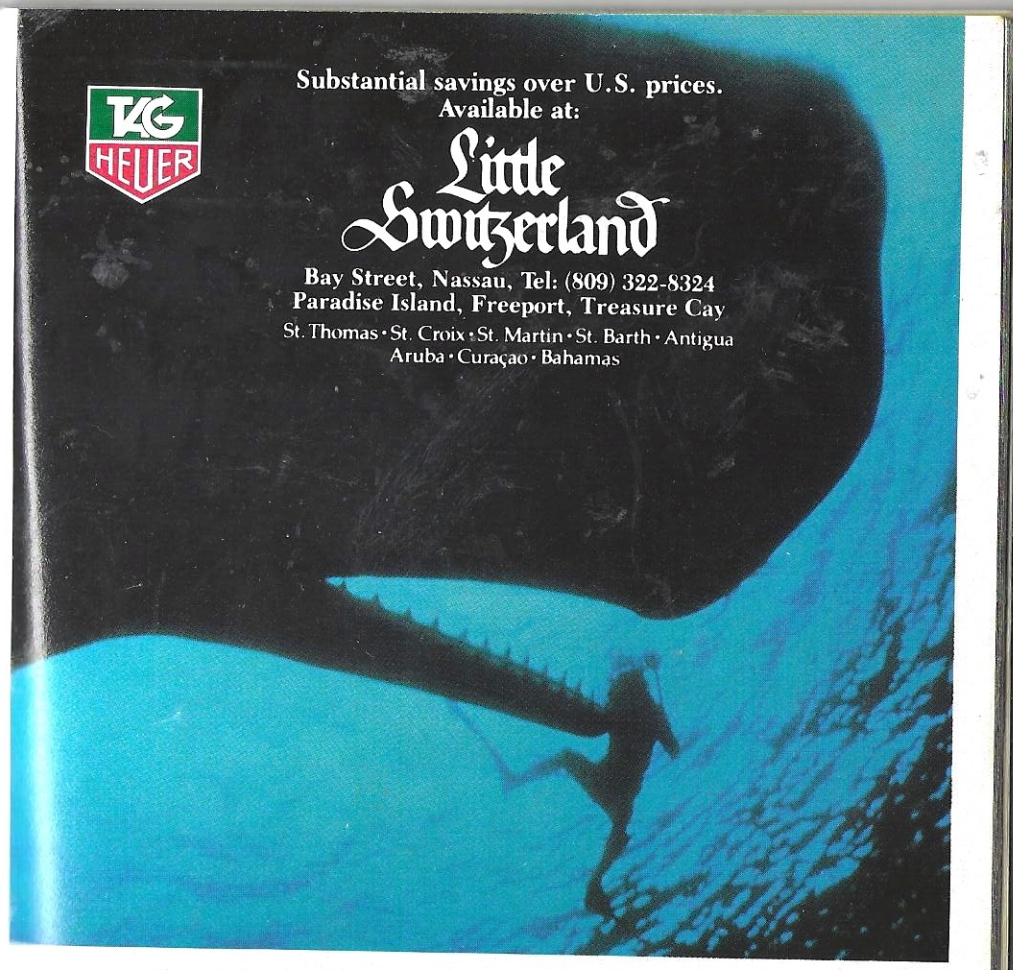

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Dangerous drugs, including marijuana if found in the possession of any unauthorized person, will bring stiff fines and even jail terms.

Licences for firearms for sporting purposes are available in The Bahamas. Licences for handguns are issued very sparingly and only in special circumstances. Illegal possession in either case can also bring stiff penalties.

Immigration

When you travel to The Bahamas from a foreign country you are given an immigration card to fill in. The Immigration Officer at the point of entry pulls the card and leaves you with a duplicate. Make sure you present this duplicate upon your departure.

Shopping Hours

If you plan to shop on Thursday, Friday or Saturday, it's best to do it in the mornings as some shops have different hours of business on those days. Most shops are closed on Sundays.

Temperatures

Month & Average Temperature					
	°F	°C		°F	°C
JAN.	70	21	JULY.	82	28
FEB.	70	21	AUG	82	28
MAR.	72	22	SEPT	81	27
APR.	75	24	OCT	78	26
MAY.	77	25	NOV	75	24
JUNE	80	27	DEC	71	22

Traffic Rules

The old British custom of driving on the left hand side of the road has been practised here since the advent of the horse and buggy. So if you rent a car – many of them have the steering wheel on the left-hand side (even the English ones, reason being that they have been made for the American market) – make sure to **keep to the left.** Speed limit through the city and congested areas 25 m.p.h.; everywhere else 30 m.p.h. except for cars travelling west of the Ministry of Works Building on John F. Kennedy Drive (towards the airport), Independence Drive and Harrold Road. They may travel 45 m.p.h.

If you decide to see the island by motor scooter, be sure to get a crash helmet from the rental agency. It is for your protection and it is required by law.

If you are walking where there is no sidewalk, face oncoming traffic on your side. In other words, walk on the right-hand side of the road.

Taxi Fares

On the islands of New Providence and Grand Bahama, the maximum taxi fares are set by Government and all taxis are required to have meters in good working condition.

GENERAL RATES

One or two passengers, for the first one-fifth of a mile, $2.00. For each additional one-sixth of a mile, 20 cents. For each additional passenger, $2.00. There is no charge for accompanied children under three years of age.

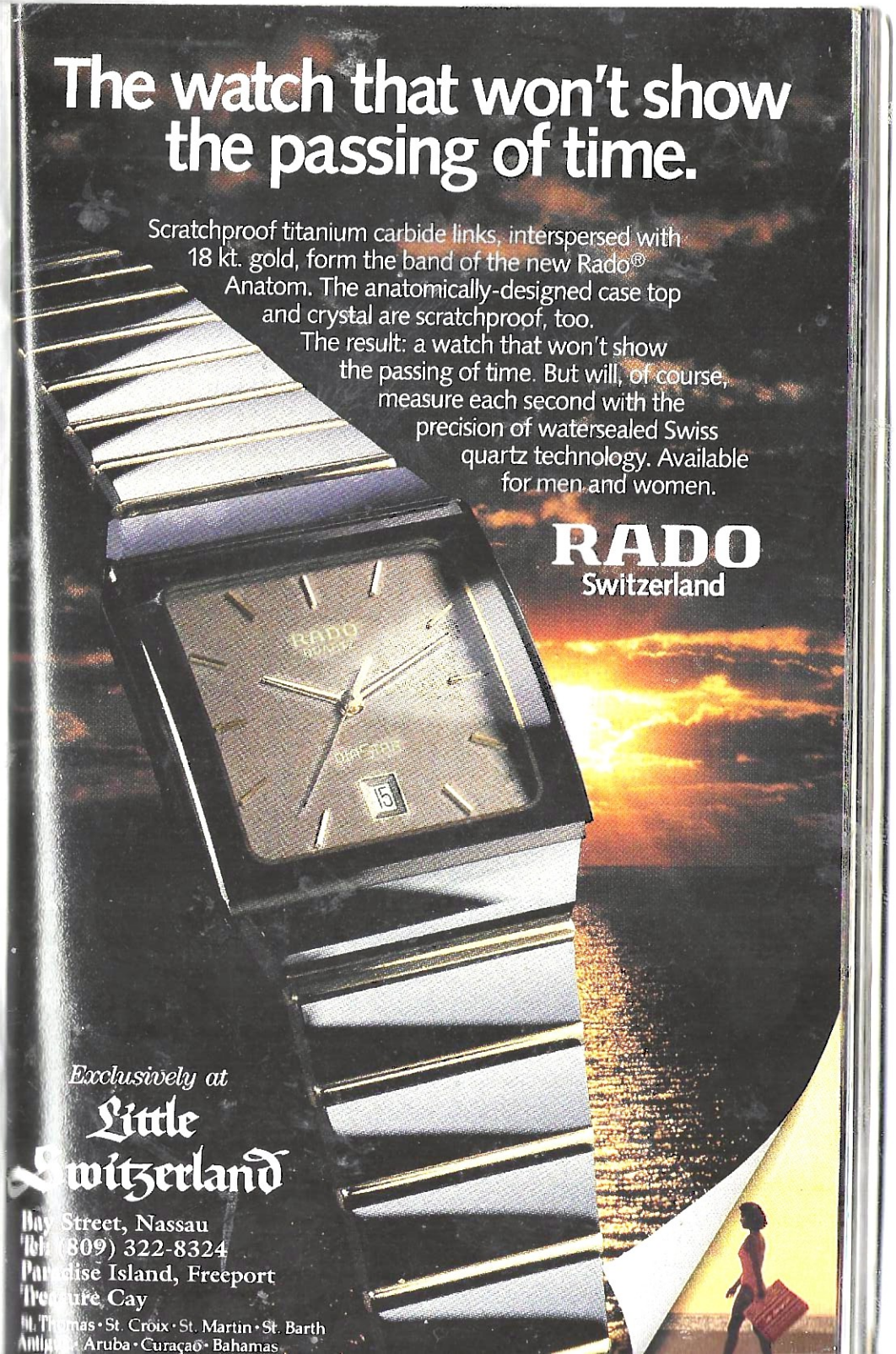
HOURLY RATES

Taxis can be hired on a sightseeing basis at the following rates: $20-$23 per hour depending on size of cab.

There is an additional charge for waiting time.

WAITING CHARGE

The charge for having a taxi wait (except when hired by the hour) is 20 cents per minute.



General Information

BAGGAGE CHARGES

There is no charge for up to two pieces of hand baggage, plus small bags and packages carried by the passenger. Each additional piece of luggage costs 30 cents.

Taxes

There are several taxes that visitors must be aware of. There is a $2 ticket tax on the price of each airline or cruise ship ticket bought in The Bahamas. This is included in the price of your ticket and should not be confused with the $5 *departure tax. The $5 departure tax must be paid in cash upon your departure and is collected by the airline or shipping line by which you are travelling.

There is a 6% tax on your room rate. It is added to your bill on check-out.

There is no sales tax in The Bahamas.

* *Due to increase*

Postage

POSTCARDS

Air Mail to U.S.A. (including Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico and U.S. Virgin Islands), Canada, England, Europe, Bermuda, West Indies, Central and South America, Africa and Australia - 40 cents.

LETTERS

Air Mail to U.S.A. (including Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico and U.S. Virgin Islands), Canada -45 cents per ½ oz. To England, Central and South America, Bermuda, islands of the Mediterranean, Falkland Islands and Europe - 50 cents per ½ oz. All countries in Africa, Asia, Australia, New Zealand and islands of the Pacific and Indian Oceans -60 cents per ½ oz.

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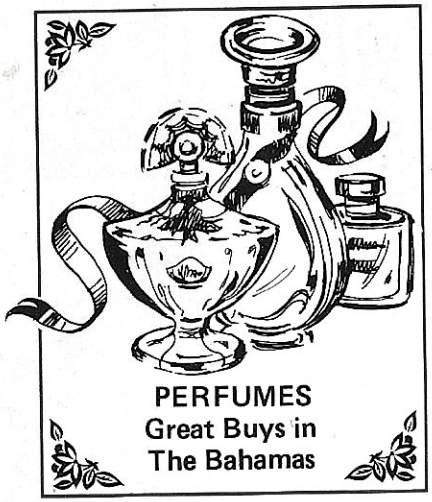
1. Recipient may NOT receive in a single day gifts exceeding $50.
2. Retail value of the gift, nature of the gift and *unsolicited* gift must be written on the outside of the package.
3. No perfume may be sent if valued at more than $5. No liquor or tobacco may be sent.
4. Persons in the U.S. cannot send money to firms in The Bahamas to have gifts sent to them duty-free. Gifts must be unsolicited.
5. Any amount of gifts may be sent (see No. 1 for limitations), without declaring them. If you are sending anything to yourself, you will have to pay duty.



UNITED KINGDOM

1. Gifts sent to the United Kingdom are duty-free to the recipient if they are packages "of small value" and contain NO tobacco or alcoholic beverages.
2. Also duty-free are packages up to 22 pounds marked "Gift" not exceeding £5 in value and containing only foodstuffs (other than caviar), soap, well-worn clothing, consumable medical supplies.

CANADA

1. Gifts sent to Canada are duty-free to the recipient providing they are worth $40 (Can.) or less and contain no advertising matter, tobacco or alcoholic beverages.

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The 1988 Bahamian Coinage Issue

So entwined in our history is Columbus that he has become a popular subject for our coins. In 1985, his landing at San Salvador was featured, and in 1987, the blessing by Queen Isabella at the start of his voyage.

Dramatic New Design

The 1988 design shows him at the dramatic moment when he first spies the New World. It is a masterpiece of numismatic sculpture created by Frank Gasparro, award-winning former Chief Engraver of the U.S. Mint. This internationally-acclaimed artist also designed last year's Bahamian coinage enthusiastically received by coin collectors worldwide.

The 1988 one-year-only design appears on gold and silver proofs in five different denominations. Among them are the $2500 Gold Proof weighing **one full troy pound** and the $25 Silver Proof containing **over four full ounces of pure silver!** These coins are among the world's largest gold and silver coins.

The common obverse features the famous Raphael Maklouf portrait of Queen Elizabeth II.

Extremely Low Mintages

All coins are minted in the desirable proof condition by the renowned Stuttgart Mint of West Germany. Mintages are extremely limited with no more than 100 of the 72 mm **$2500 Gold**; 250 of the 38.61 mm **$250 Gold**; 5,000 of the 22 mm **$100 Gold**; 10,000 of the 63 mm **$25 Silver**; and 10,000 of the 38.61 mm **$10 Silver** produced for worldwide distribution.

With the 500th Anniversary of our discovery by Columbus coming up in just a few years, now would be an excellent time to acquire coins with this historic theme.

For more information on how you can acquire these lovely and scarce coins, contact the dealers listed below. But hurry! The low mintages shown will hardly meet international demand for Bahamian issues.

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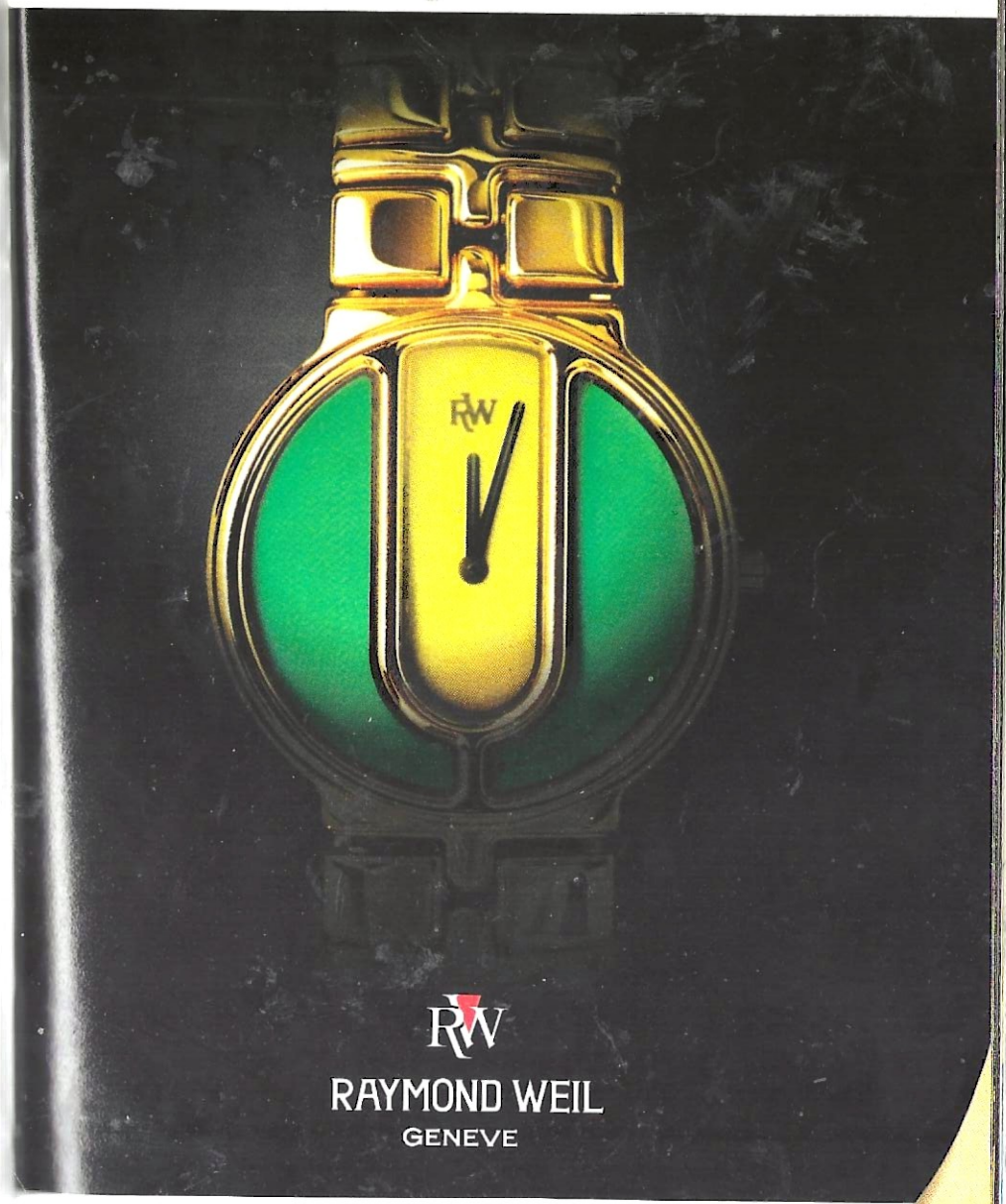

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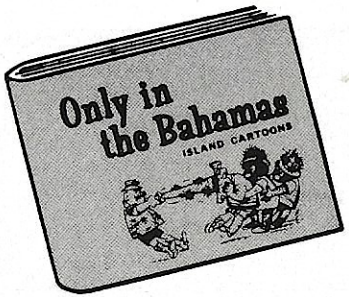

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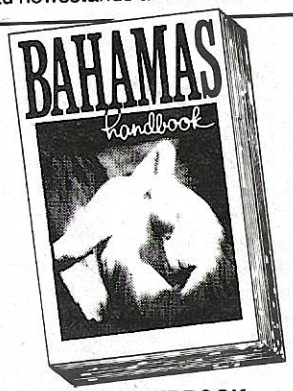

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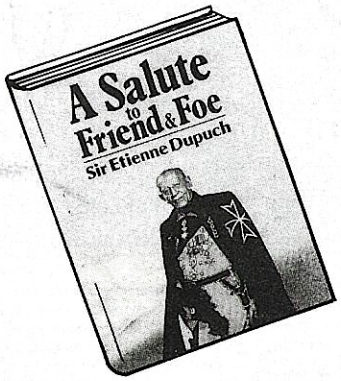

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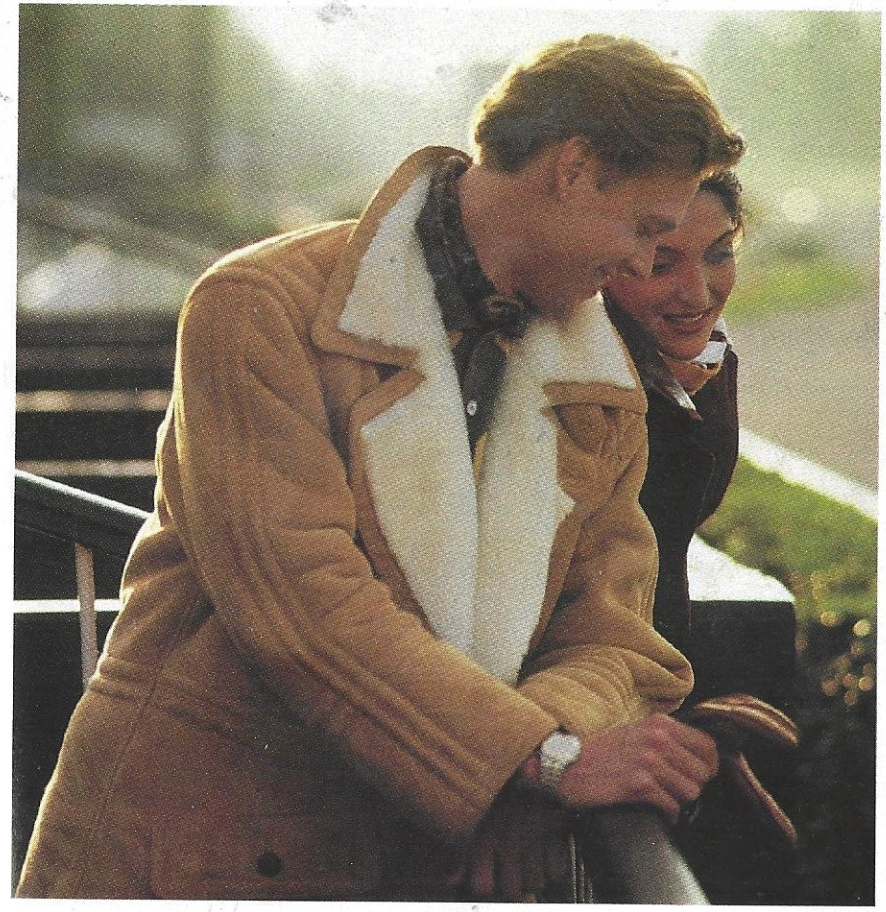
Flamingo Facts

Baby flamingos are gray at birth. They turn pink after feasting on algae – and shrimp which have eaten the same algae.

In the algae are pigments called carotenoids. As the name suggests, these chemicals give the orange colour to carrots. With flamingos, it's different. They are flamingo pink rather than carrot orange.

If deprived of carotenoids, flamingos no longer look "in the pink". They fade.

And last but not least, the National Birds of The Bahamas are known in the Bahamian vernacular as "fillymingos".



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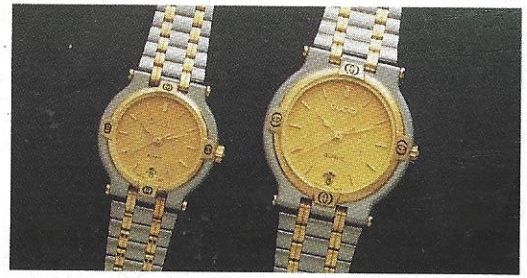

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Handy customs hints

United States - Tourists from the United States may take back to the U.S., duty-free, items valued up to $400 retail, provided they are properly declared to the customs inspector. All items must accompany the traveller to be duty-free.

The $400 duty-free exemption can only be claimed once every 30 days, provided the tourist has been outside the U.S. for at least 48 hours. The $400 exemption may be pooled for a family living in the same household and travelling together, i.e., a family of four may take home $1,600 worth of duty-free goods.

Within the $400 exemption there are limitations on the amount of alcoholic beverages and tobacco products that are duty-free. If the traveller is at least 21 years of age, he will be allowed to include 1 litre (33.8 oz.) of alcoholic beverages. One hundred cigars (not of Cuban origin) and 200 cigarettes may be imported duty-free. There is no age limit on cigars and cigarettes, and persons under 21 may import liquor for legal age relatives in the U.S.

The tourist can, of course, take more than $400 worth of goods into the U.S. Up to $1,000 beyond the $400 exemption will be assessed a flat rate of duty of 10 per cent based on the fair retail value in The Bahamas.

Furthermore, members of a family who live and travel together may group their $1,000 flat rate of duty, regardless of who is the owner. For example, an eligible family of four could have their articles grouped for a total of $4,000 fair retail value for entry at the flat rate of duty. You may not apply the flat rate of duty more than once every 30 days.

Certain items carrying a trademark or trade name may be brought into the U.S. in specific amounts or not at all. No tortoiseshell goods, plants or fruits are allowed. Many drugs bought over the counter in The Bahamas are not allowed to enter the U.S. Check with U.S. Customs before purchasing any medicines.

Also note, more than $10,000 in U.S. or foreign coin,

See page 66 for information on mailing duty-free gifts.

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currency, travellers cheques, etc. must be reported to Customs.

REMINDER: Many travellers to foreign countries are under the impression that articles purchased and worn or used (i.e. watches, clothing, cameras, etc.) while on the trip need not be declared. **THIS IS NOT TRUE! ALL** articles purchased abroad (or received as a gift) **MUST** be reported on the customs declaration or the traveller may be subject to personal penalties (often three times the duty). It is a violation of the law to make a false declaration, either written or orally.

Antiques may be imported into the U.S. duty-free so long as proof is provided that the articles are 100 years old or older.

FOR THE TOURIST STAYING LESS THAN 48 HOURS:

If you have used your $400 exemption in the last 30 days OR if you have not been out of the U.S. for the minimum 48 hours, you may take $25 worth of merchandise duty free. Any of the following may be included: 50 cigarettes, 10 cigars (not of Cuban origin), 4 ounces of liquor or 4 ounces of cologne.

REMEMBER: If you purchase **MORE** than your $25 exemption, you lose the exemption and must pay duty on everything purchased, including that first $25 worth. The $25 exemption may not be pooled.

CANADA - Duty free allowances depend on the time you spend outside Canada; also upon previous claims for exemption.

After 24 hours' absence or more, any number of times a year, any Canadian resident, including infants, may bring in goods to the value of $20 (excluding tobacco and alcohol). A parent or guardian may sign a declaration for a small child for items exclusively for the child's use.

After 48 hours' absence, any number of times a year, you may import up to $100 (Can.) worth of duty-free merchandise, which must be carried by hand or in your luggage. This may include 50 cigars, 200 cigarettes, 2 lbs. of tobacco and 40 ozs. liquor (this latter may be made up of one or more bottles).

Once every calendar year –after seven days' absence or more, you may take home from The Bahamas, or any other area outside continental North America, merchandise worth up to $300 (Can.) duty free. It may be shipped separately, but you must declare it on your arrival in Canada. Tobacco and liquor quotas are the same as for the $100 exemption.

This $300 exemption may be claimed regardless of any $100 exemption you may have claimed on a previous trip, but these two may not be combined at any one time.

Any duty-free items must be for personal or household use, or as gifts. They are not exempt if for sale or for business.

Children who are literate and can understand the declaration may claim exemption. However, a person must be over 16 to import tobacco. Forty ounces of liquor may be brought in provided you meet the age require-

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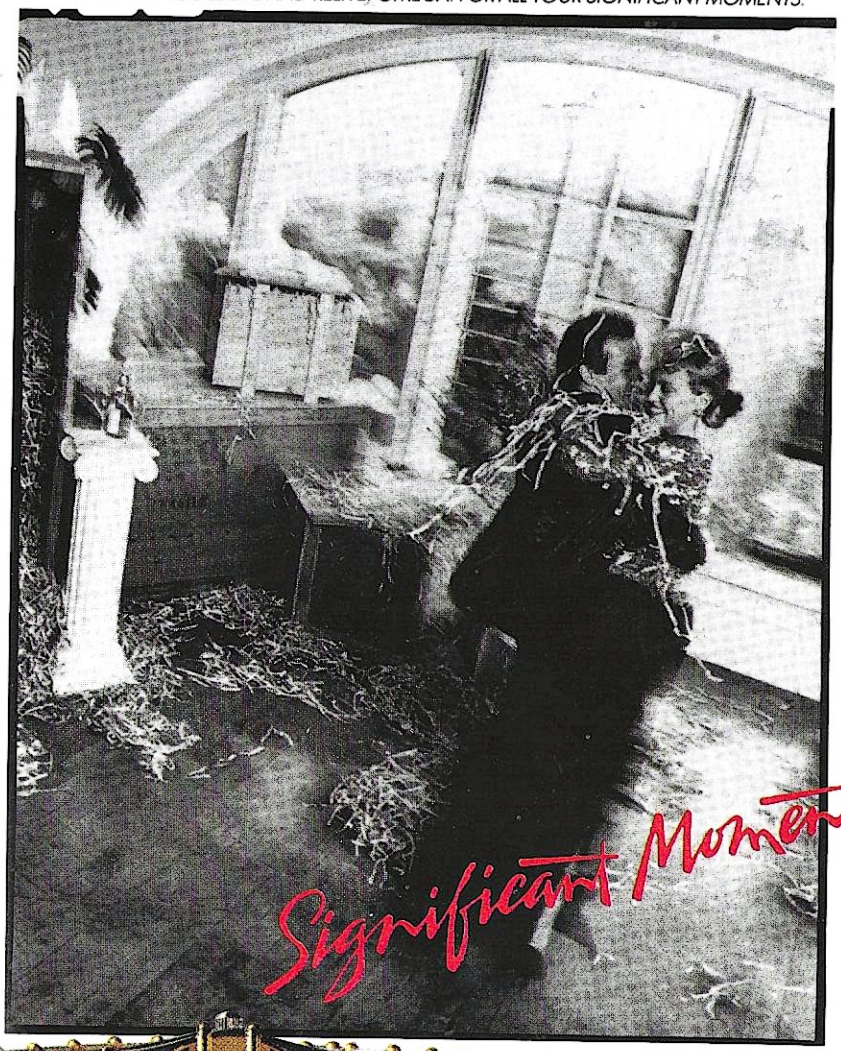

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ments of the province or territory through which you enter Canada.

If value of the goods exceeds exemption amounts, duty is payable only to that amount over the exemption. Pooling of exemptions is not allowed.

UNITED KINGDOM - Residents of the United Kingdom may take back from The Bahamas, or from any journey abroad of more than 24 hours, these items free of duty and tax:

CIGARETTES: Up to 200 cigarettes or 100 cigarillos or 50 cigars or 250 grammes of tobacco.

SPIRITS: 1 litre (over 22% proof) of spirits or 2 litres (not over 22% proof) of spirits or fortified or sparkling wine, plus 2 litres of still table wine. (No one under 17 may import spirits.)

PERFUME: 50 grammes of perfume or 60 cc (2 fl. ozs.) and 250 cc (9 fl. ozs.) of toilet water.

OTHER: 32 pounds sterling worth of other goods.

The allowances apply only to goods carried in baggage which is cleared by you at the time of your arrival.

Pack the articles so they are handy; this will save you possibly having to unpack your baggage if the Customs Officer wants to see them.

Remember that the importation of some goods into the United Kingdom is prohibited or restricted, including counterfeit coins, dangerous knives, dangerous drugs, firearms and ammunition, plants and bulbs, radio transmitters, meat and poultry and live animals.

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Call ahead to check times of services from October 1989.

ANGLICAN
Christ Church Cathedral, King and George Sts. Tel. 322-4186. Evensong and address 7 p.m. Holy Eucharist & Sermon, 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 7 p.m.
St. Matthew's, Shirley St. and Church Lane. Tel. 323-8220 or 322-3064. Low Mass 7:15 a.m.; High Mass and Sermon 10:30 a.m.; Bible Study 6 p.m.; Solemn Even-song and Benediction 7 p.m. winter, 7:30 p.m. summer. Sunday School 9:30 a.m.; Confessions by prior arrangement.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Evangelistic Temple, Collins Ave. Tel. 322-8304. Sunday School 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sunday night evangelistic service 7 p.m. Mid week service each Wed. 7:30 p.m. Friday night live at 7:30 p.m.
Golden Gates Assembly, Carmichael Rd. Tel. 328-3347 or 328-4097. Sunday Early Morning Worship 8:30 a.m.; Christian Education Hour 9:45 a.m.; Worship & Praise Celebration 11 a.m.; Evening Worship & Praise Celebration 7 p.m. Wednesday's Community Prayer & Bible Study 7:30 p.m. Youth gathering every Friday at 7:30 p.m.

BAHA'I FAITH
Baha'i National Centre, Shirley St. Tel. 326-0607. Sunday meeting 11 a.m. Wednesday night meeting 7:30 p.m.

BAPTIST
Zion Baptist Church, East & Shirley Sts. Tel. 325-3556 Church, 323-6955 Pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a.m.; Divine Worship 11 a.m.; Membership Training 10 a.m.; Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.

CHRISTIAN
Church of Christ, Highbury Park. Tel. 323-2486. Sunday morning Bible Study 10 a.m.; Worship Service 11 a.m. Evening Worship Service 6:30 p.m. Midweek service each Wednesday 7 p.m.

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Annunciation, West St. Tel. 322-4382. Sunday's divine liturgy 10:30 a.m. – 12 noon (Holy Days 7:30 a.m. – 9 a.m.).

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St. Andrew's Kirk, Princes St. Tel. 322-4085 (Manse, 393-2534, Rev. Alastair McCormick). Morning Worship 11 a.m.; Evening Worship 7 p.m.

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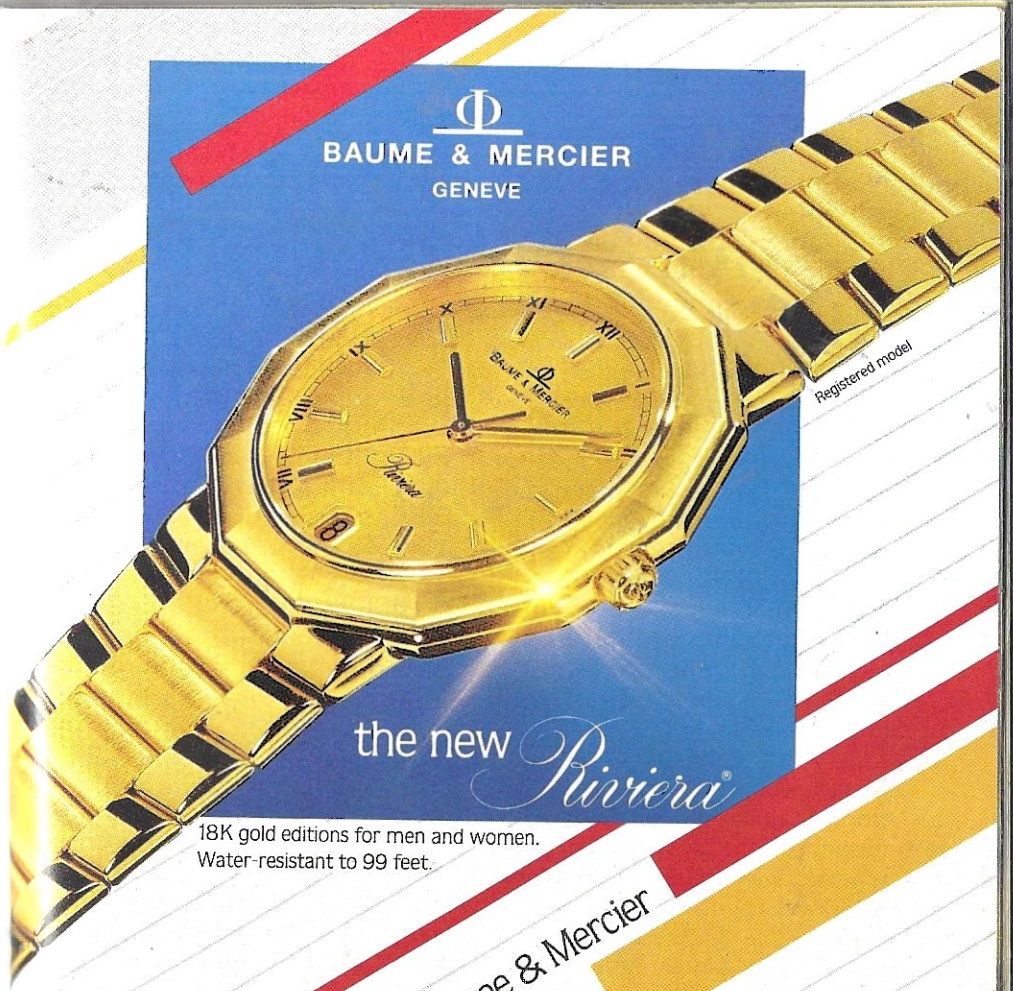

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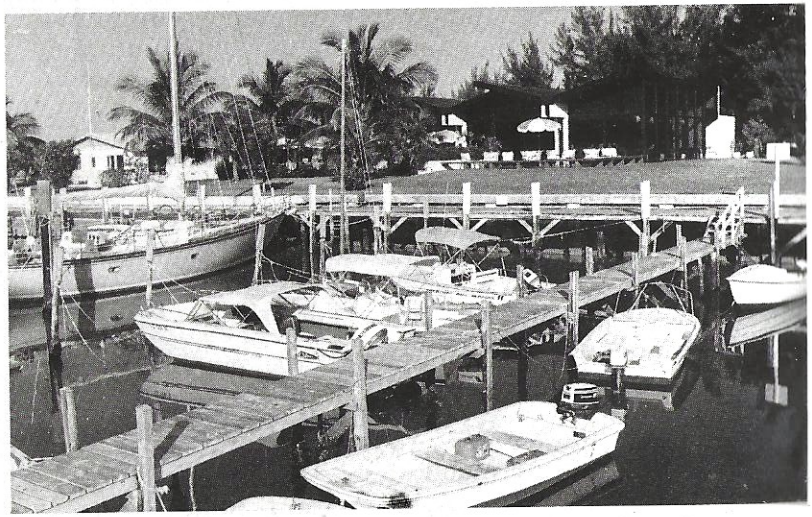
The first section of Walt Disney World was called the Magic Kingdom. Now comes the world's richest "mouse with the most" and his "magical" cruise to four Abaco cays. Naturally, the project has the magic name: Abacodabra.

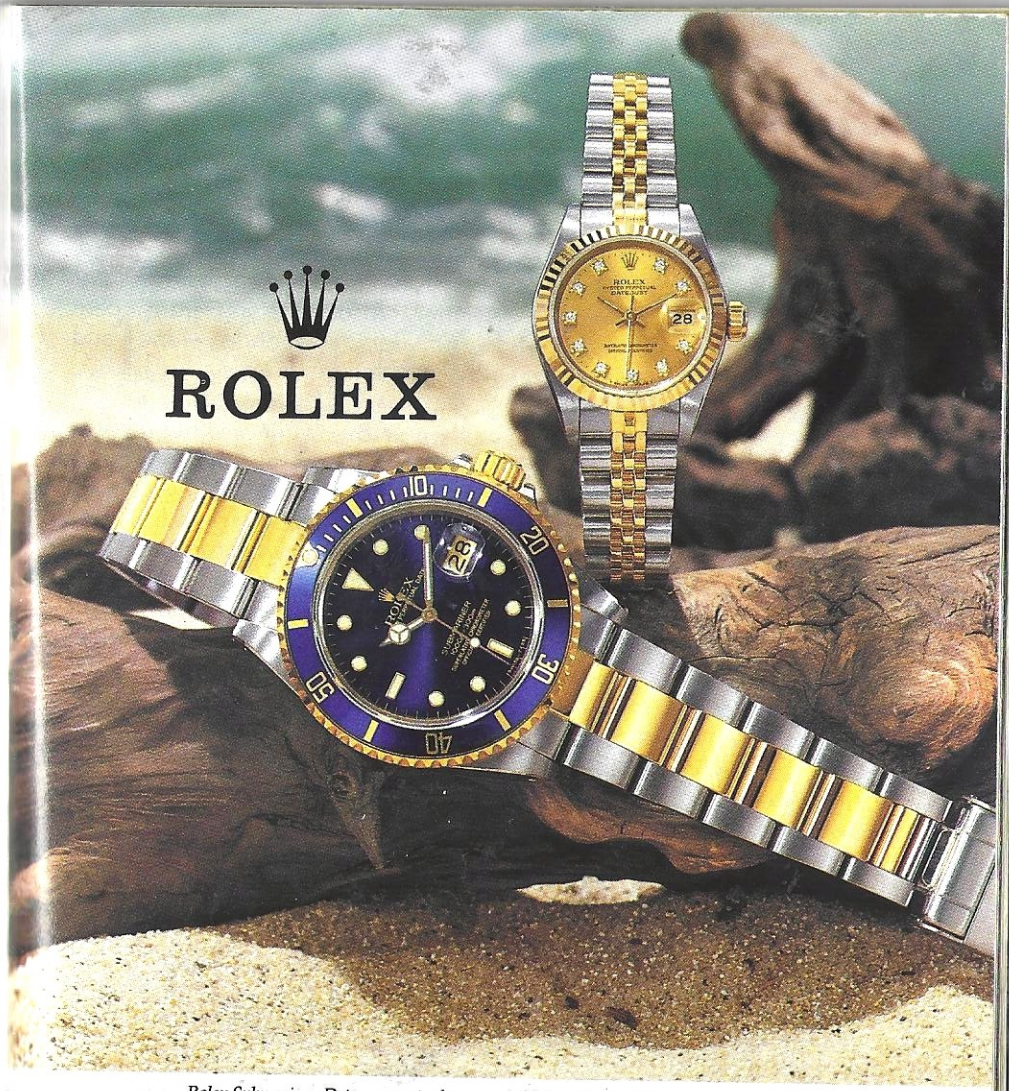
In March of 1989, The Bahamas Ministry of Tourism and WDW's Premier Cruise Lines announced the cruise ship *Majestic* will make three and four-night cruises to Abaco.

Abacodabra is now the magic word for a taste of the tropics along with Cinderella's castle, EPCOT and all the rest of what annually attracts 20 million to 30 million visitors. Passengers aboard the *Majestic* can tour Man-O-War, Green Turtle, Great Guana and the Elbow cays – the new cays of the (magic) kingdom.

What are visitors seeing in our cays (pronounced keys)?

Abaco is a yachting and sailing paradise with laid-back colonial architecture, friendly people and the Albert Lowe Museum. Abaco settlements resemble New England villages transplanted beside tropical beaches. To visit these "magic" Abacodabra cays from Nassau, you can book an airplane, a package tour or take an inexpensive mailboat from Potter's Cay at the foot of the Paradise Island Bridge. The *M/V Deborah K* leaves Potter's Cay (Porter's Cay in Bahamian dialect) for Marsh Harbour, Abaco, the third largest Bahamian town, every Wednesday morning. All aboard and hello Abaco!





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Abaco Locations:

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'Weatherproof' Your Skin

You can beat the heat – or cold – by stocking up on weather-proof cosmetics.

When the heat's on, oil secretion increases for all complexion types, making skin appear and feel greasier. Like clothing, cosmetics should change with the seasons. Using the same cosmetics worn during the winter could result in make-up that smudges, shines and fades.

New Providence and Paradise Island shops are stocked with the finest skin-care products from the United States and Europe. The selection of colours and formulas is fantastic; you're sure to find something to suit your life style. Visitors can save up to 30 percent on some of the major brand names.

Summer Eyes

The key to smear-free summer eyelashes is choosing the correct mascara. If you wear mascara daily, use one that is water-resistent. It not only minimizes "glopping", but is quick and easy to remove. Water-proof formulas are ideal for the beach, but be sure to remove them with care.

Begin by using an eye-shadow base. Then apply a water-proof shadow in a rich, but barely-there, earth tone.

Oil-free Complexion

For a natural look, use water-based foundations on your skin; avoid oil-based formulas during the summer. Besides being too heavy, they can lead to occasional "zit" flare-ups. Don't forget your moisturizer, it's a must for every season. Switch to a lighter formula during the summer. Also, dust on translucent powder to reduce shine and achieve a matte finish.

Long-Lasting Colours

Now, while you're on vacation, is the ideal time to experiment with lip colours and textures. First, smooth on a lip base. Then outline with a lipliner and fill in with your favourite colour. The result is lip colours with staying power, that won't "bleed" or feather.

Sun Tricks

While you're in The Bahamas, you'll spend time enjoying the tropical sun, sand and sea. If you overdo on sunshine, use cosmetics to tone down reddened skin. Start with a colour-corrector, then smooth on a foundation that's one or two tones darker than your regular shade. Colour your lips with a brown base shade – and you've got the ideal tan effect.

Deep-down Clean

Begin a skin-smart cleaning routine and give your skin the deep-down cleansing it requires. Remove makeup with a gentle liquid cleanser and rinse thoroughly. Follow with a mild, alcohol-based astringent to eliminate any traces of dirt. If skin breakouts occur, try an on-the-spot acne preventative.

From The Inside Out

Remember to work from the inside – drink six to eight glasses of water daily to replenish moisture lost in perspiration. You

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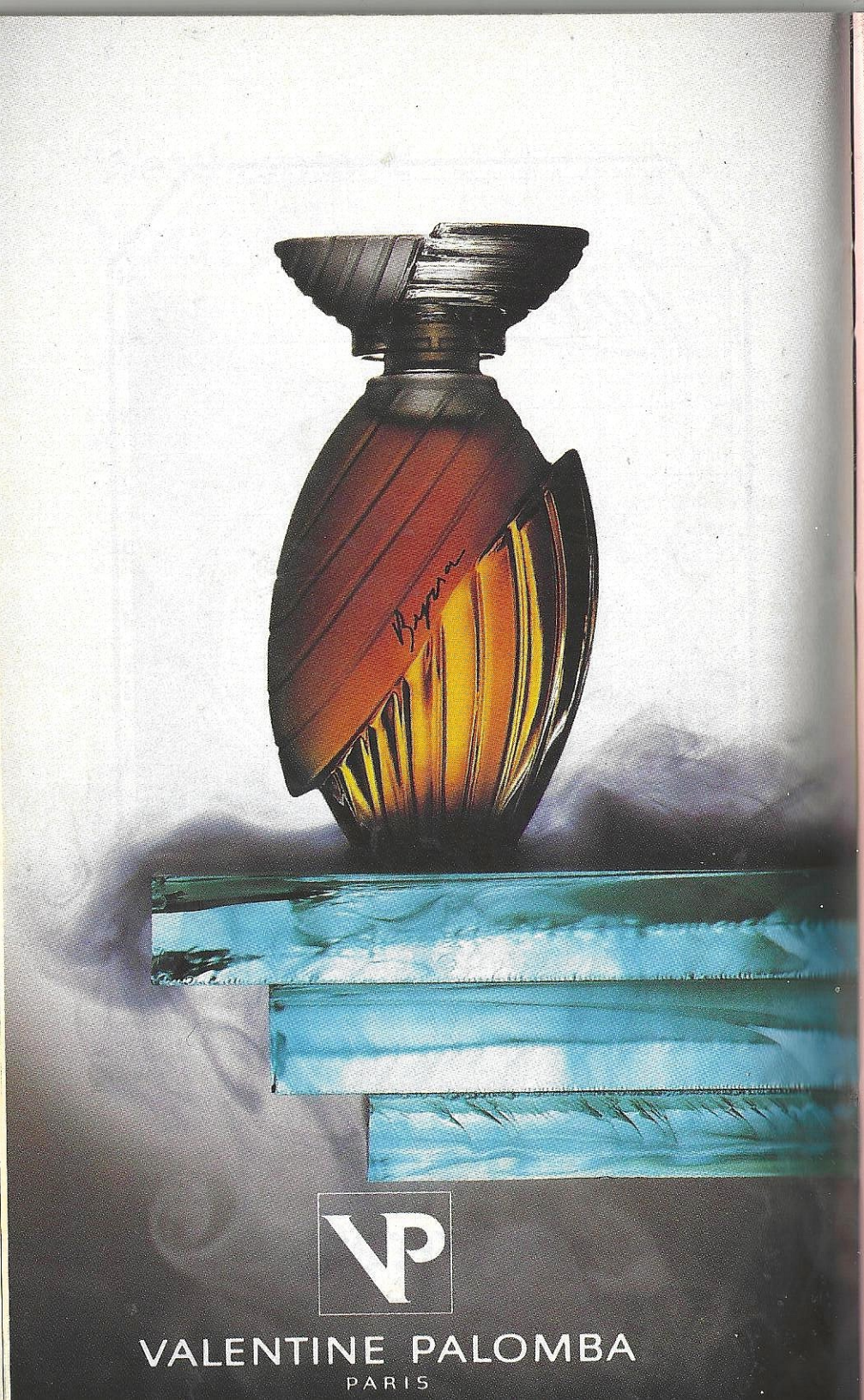

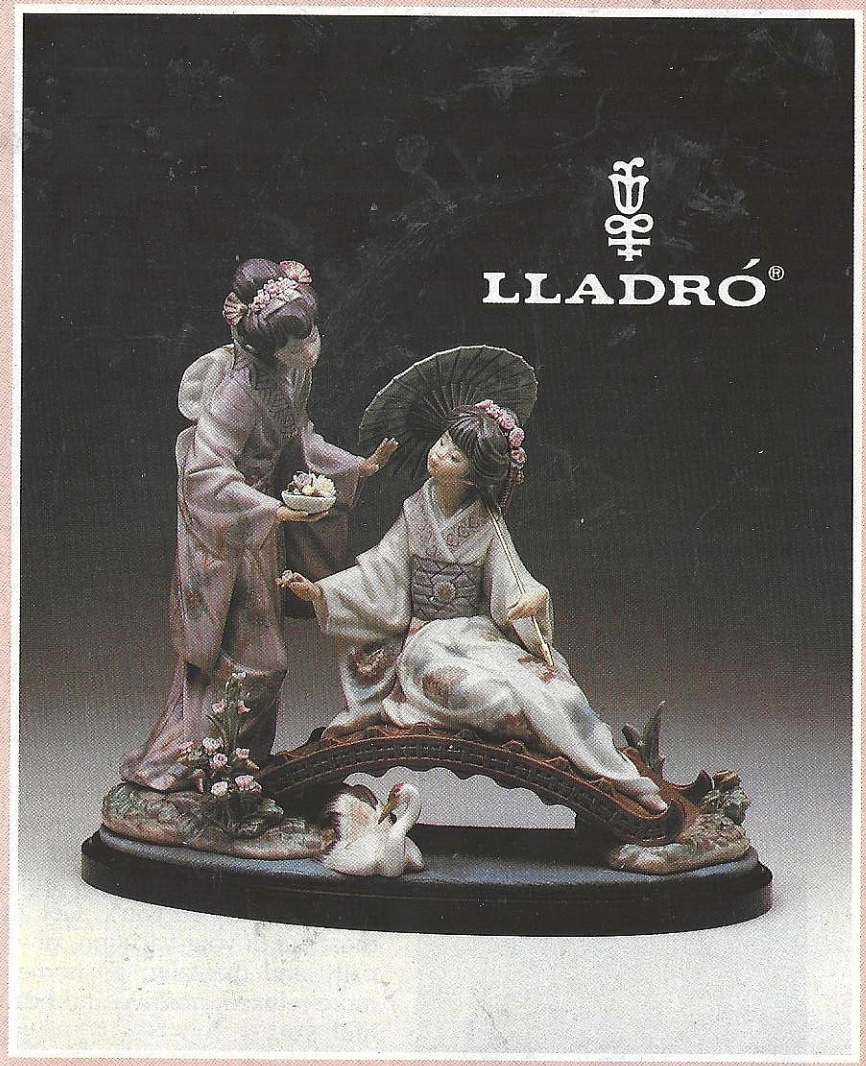

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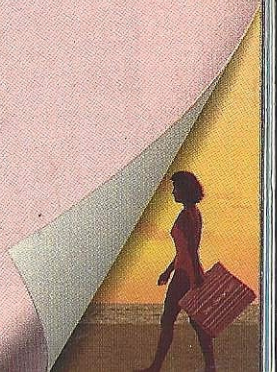

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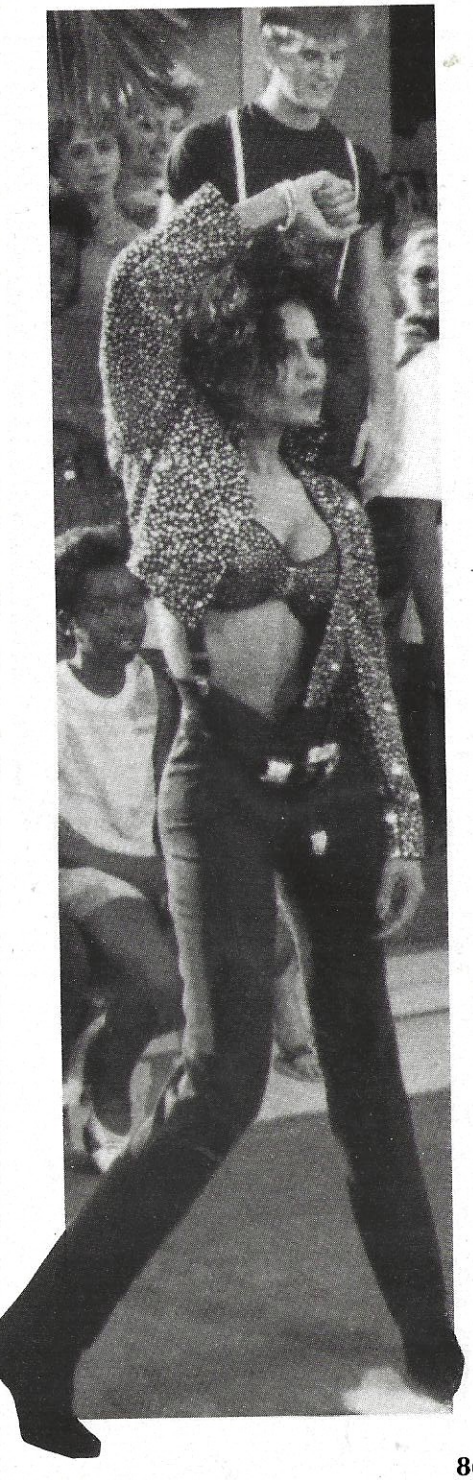

might want to take the beauty advice of glamorous LaToya Jackson, who performed in a Bahamian Straw Market during the Bob Hope Easter Special aired on NBC-TV in March of this year. LaToya drinks eight glasses of water "with a squirt of lemon" every day. Her complexion was the picture of health and beauty.

LaToya has only water and lemon every Sunday; it's her day to fast. She told Bahamians that this routine "cleans out my system every week". Obviously, her health strategy is working. Her physical perfection "wowed 'em" in The Bahamas, where she was greeted with loud cheers and applause whenever she made an appearance – and what a stunning appearance indeed!

Pay special attention to your inner beauty. No matter how perfectly you apply your cosmetics, if you're not happy with yourself – it will show.

During your Bahama holiday, take time to get in touch with yourself. Clear your mind, rid yourself of stress and really appreciate "the inner you". Get the most out of your vacation, physically and mentally; go home a more relaxed, positive and beautiful you.

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Paradise Shopping

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John Bull has exquisite displays of the world's finest in watches, clocks, cameras and jewellery. Also, visit their newest location in Paradise Island Resort & Casino. You'll find a wide selection of watches and jewellery; also a complete line of Gucci and Cartier accessories. And don't miss their extensive Rolex display. Open from 10 a.m. to 12 midnight.

Little Switzerland in the Paradise Island Shopping Centre and in Britannia Towers is a gold mine for the finest in exquisite jewellery and gems. Also featured are outstanding watches by Gucci, Rado, Ebel, Seiko and Tag Heuer.

Mademoiselle has a vibrant, glamorous collection in fashion available at the Paradise Island Shopping Centre and at the Paradise Island Resort & Casino (Paradise Towers and Britannia Towers), Pirate's Cove Holiday Inn, and at Harbour Cove Inn.

Locally hand-batiked Androsia fashions for men, women and children are on display at their Paradise Island Shopping Centre, Paradise Towers, Harbour Cove Inn, and Pirate's Cove Holiday Inn locations.

The Island Shop offers souvenirs, film and T-shirts.

At various hotel shops:

Look for **The Perfume Salon** in the Paradise Island Casino and stock up on fragrances for everyone. The salon provides a complete selection of perfumes and colognes and a look at the prices will reveal solid bargains. Shopping in Paradise does not mean hiked prices – shoppers can save up to 40 per cent over U.S. prices (same prices as downtown). Visit their other location in Carnival's Riviera Towers Mall.

Pipe of Peace, in the Paradise Island Shopping Centre and in Harbour Cove Inn, is a treasure trove *par excellence.* It brings you the best in china, crystal and gifts.

Solomon's Mines, in Britannia Towers, offers a wide selection of gift ideas and fine china and crystal. You'll see impressive names like Royal Doulton, Wedgwood, Waterford and Swarovski crystal.

Visit the **Britannia Beach Liquor Store** (in the Britannia Towers arcade) and the **Paradise Island Liquor Store** (in the Paradise Towers arcade) for all your liquor requirements.

Shop Cable Beach

Amble through the Shopping Arcade at **Carnival's Cable Beach Riviera Towers:**

Leather Masters is worth a visit if only to enjoy the display of fine leather from the world over, and to admire latest designs by Gucci.

The Perfume Salon, in Carnival's Riviera Towers Mall is renowned for its extensive collection of perfume and colognes – including all the latest from Paris. With savings up to 40 per cent over U.S. prices, now is the ideal time to stock up on your favourite scents. Visit their second location in the Paradise Island Casino.

There are other resort hostelries with fine shops – the Nassau Beach Hotel, for example.

Find here the elegant **Solomon's Mines,** where the finest china, crystal and gifts are sold at reasonable prices.

Little Switzerland, at the Nassau Beach, features an exquisite selection of emeralds and other fine gold jewellery. Also featured are out

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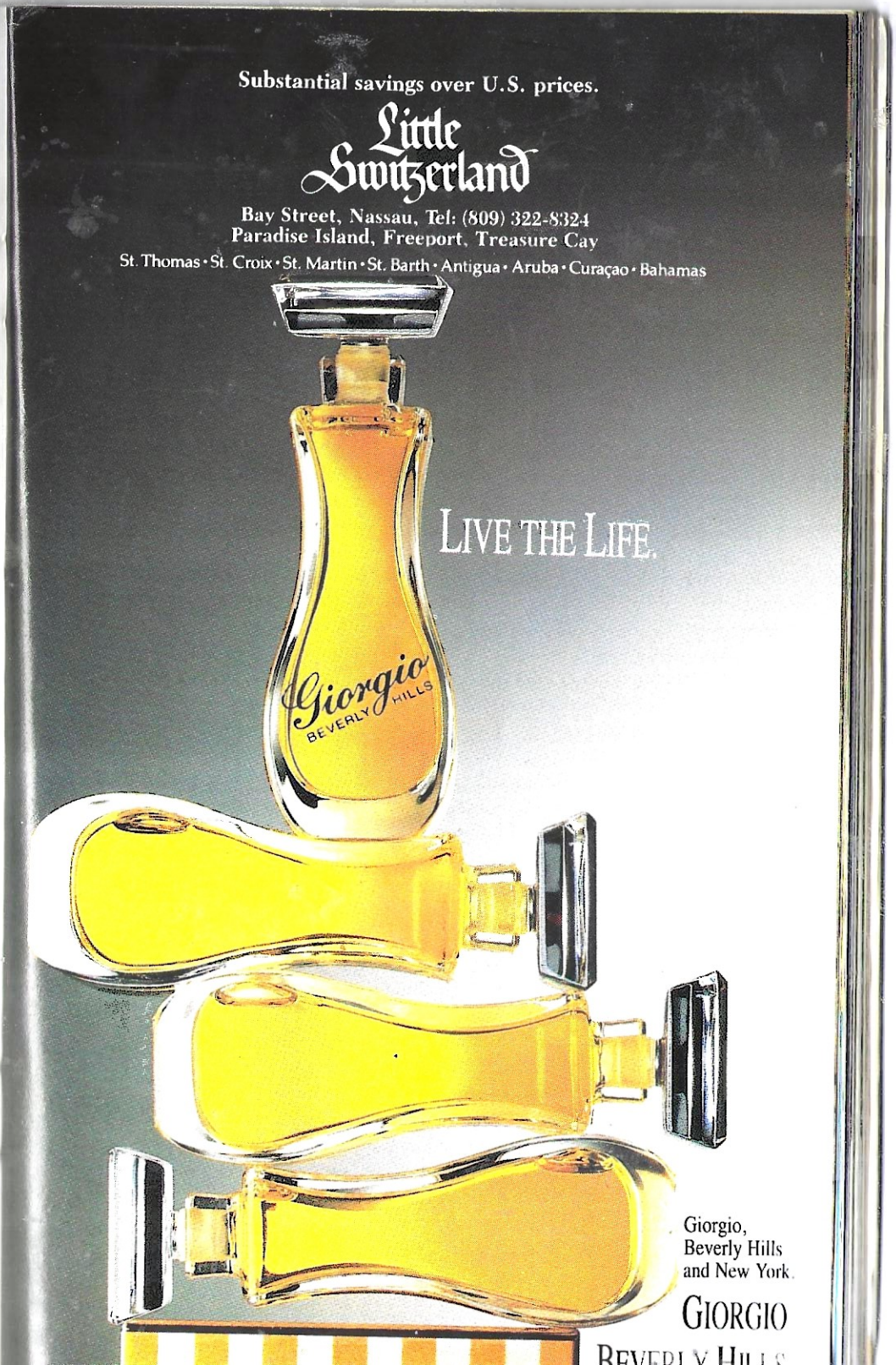

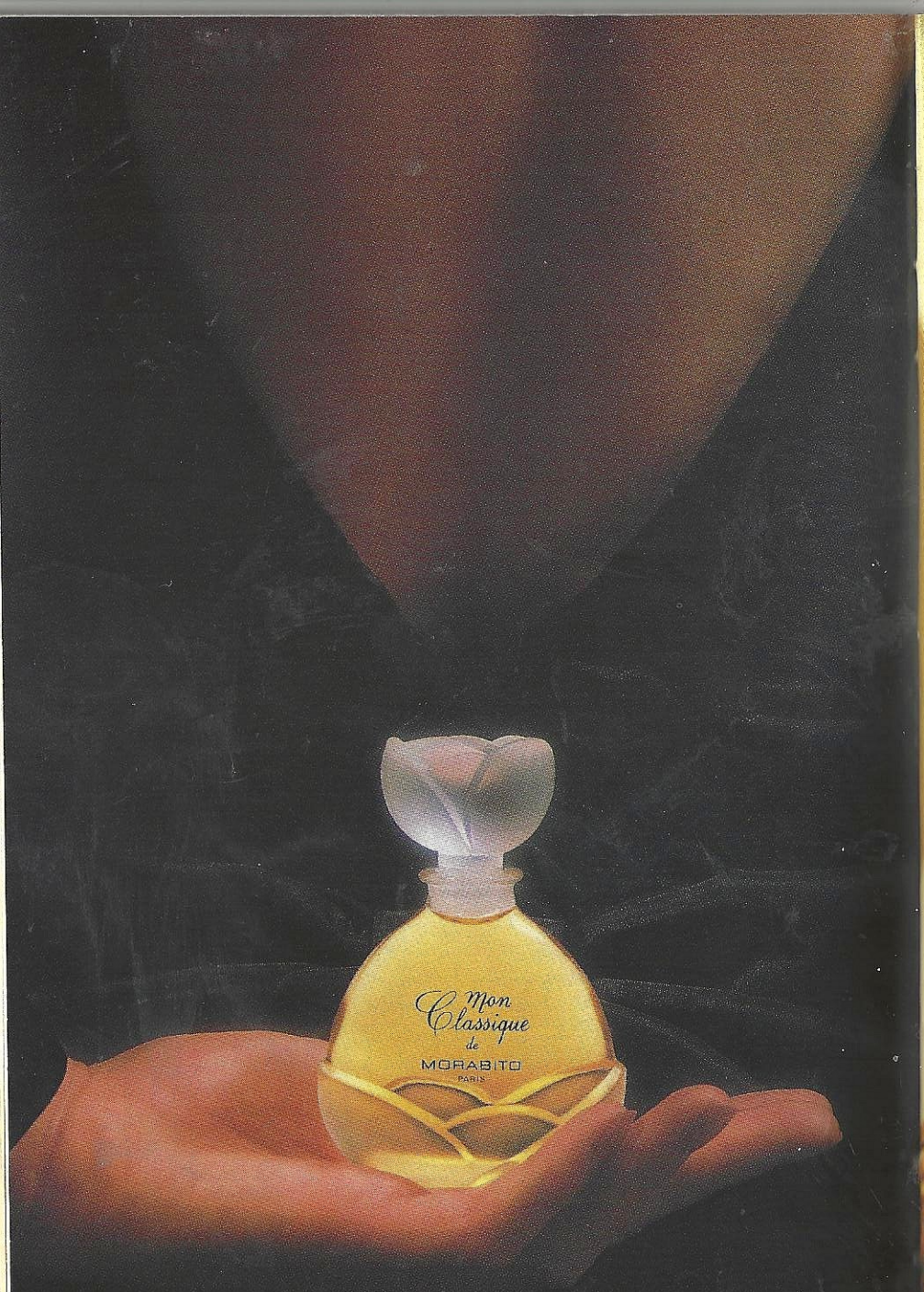

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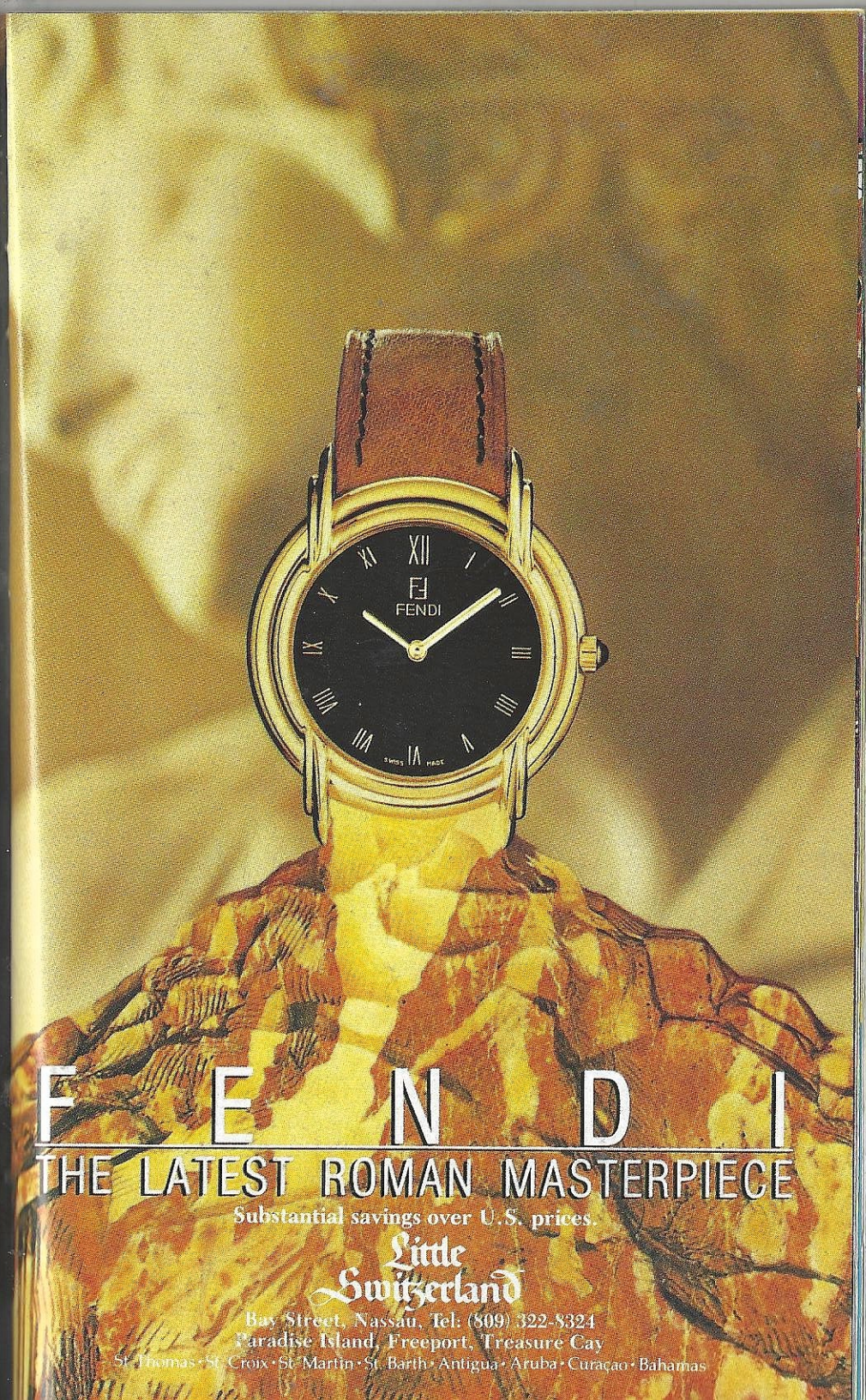

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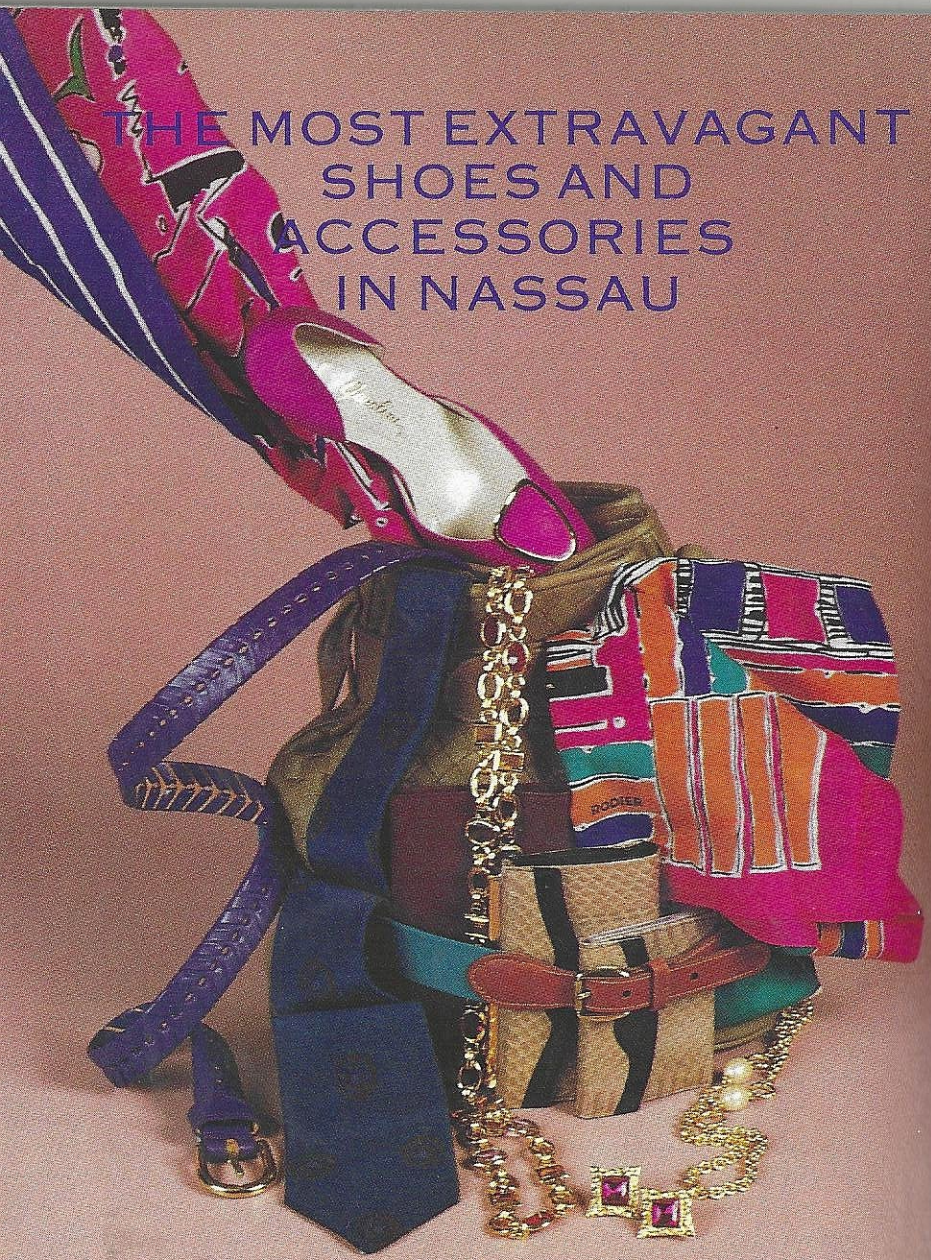

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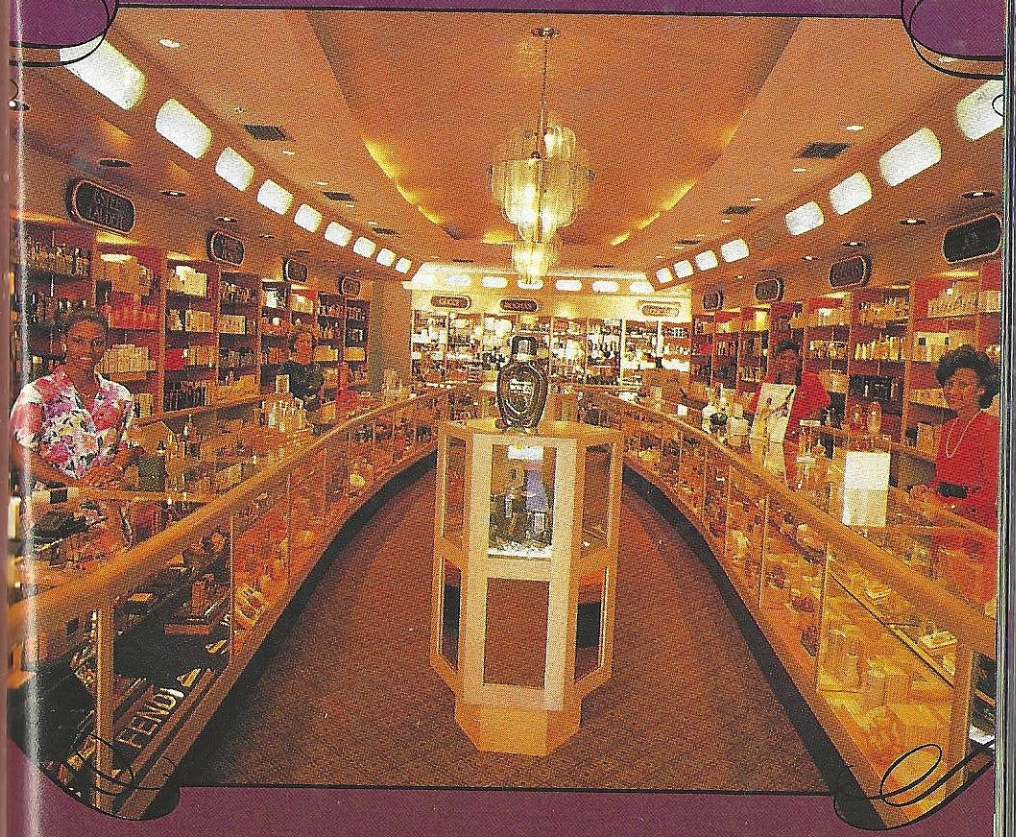

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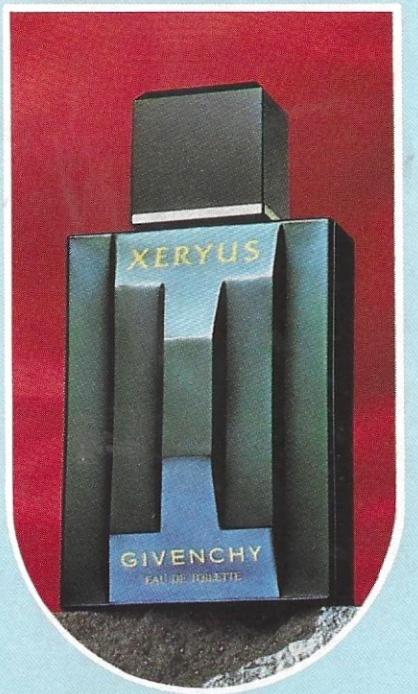

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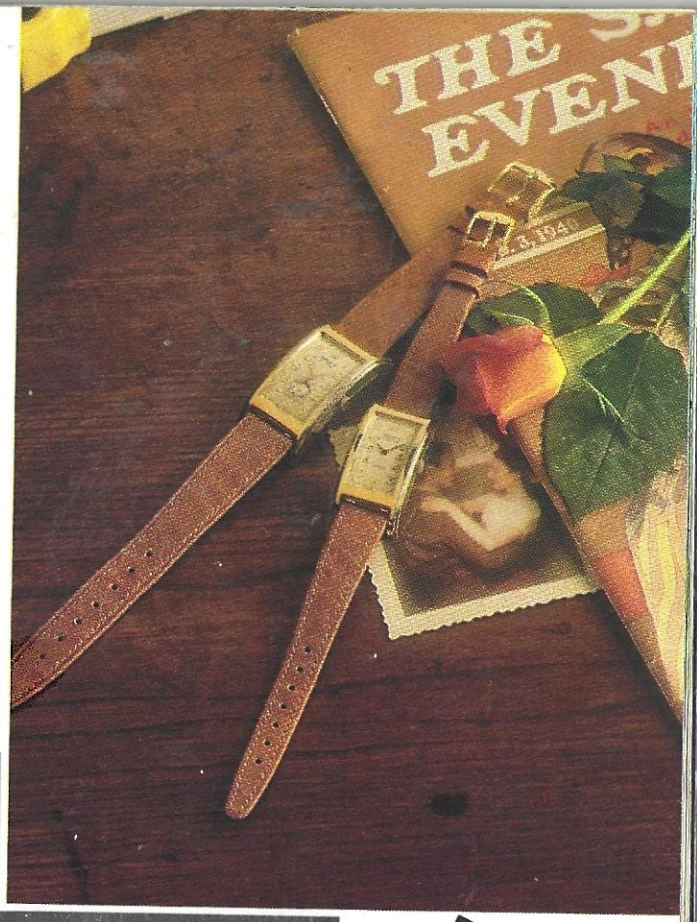

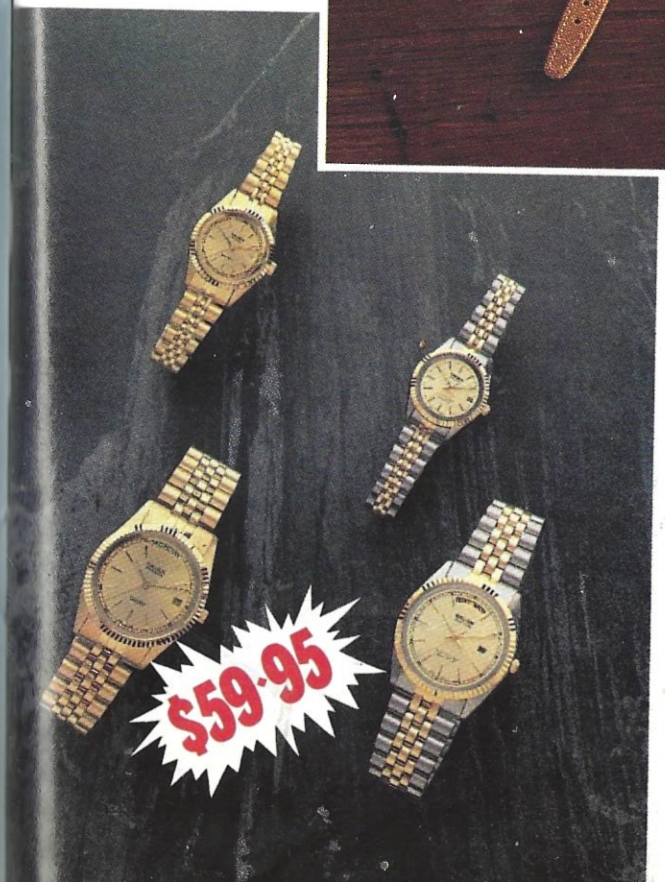

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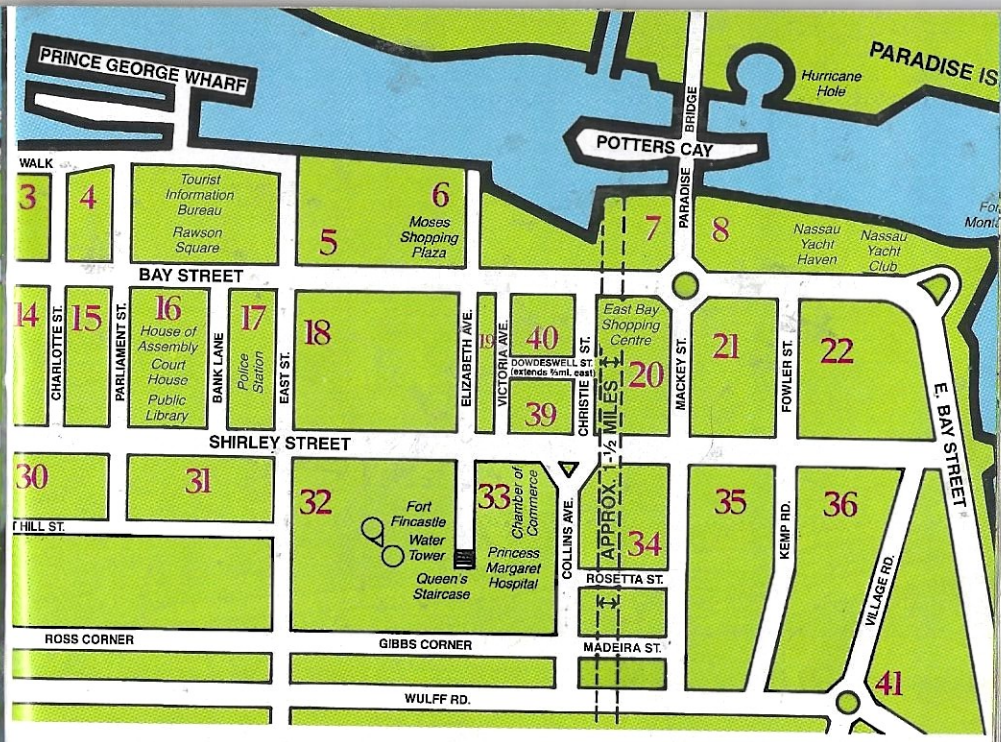

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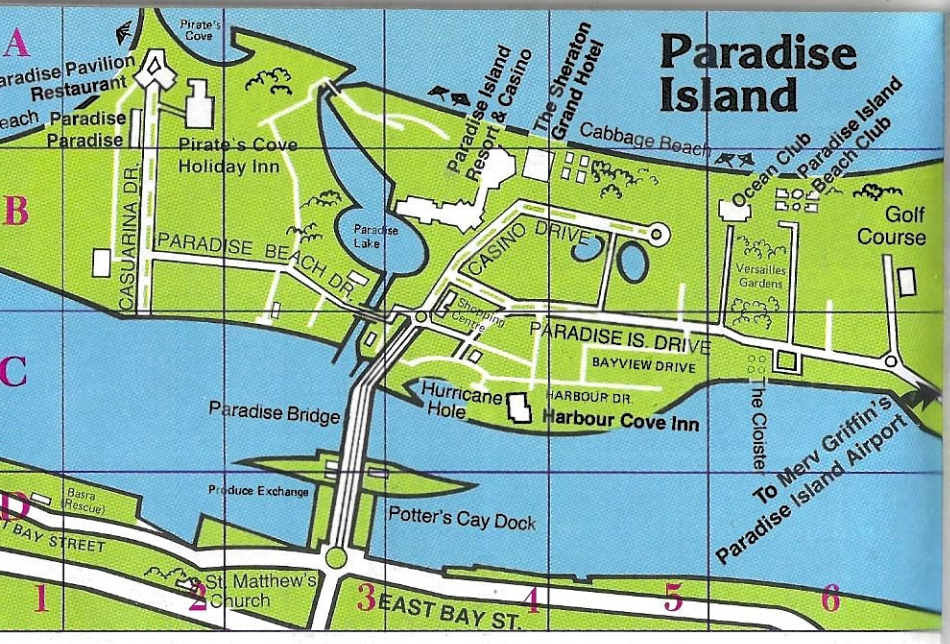
Nautilus, Deveaux St., between Nos. 6 & 7
Sea Island Adventure, East Bay St., No. 8

OTHER
Post Office, East Hill St., south of Nos. 30 & 31
Super Value, Mackey St., south of No. 34



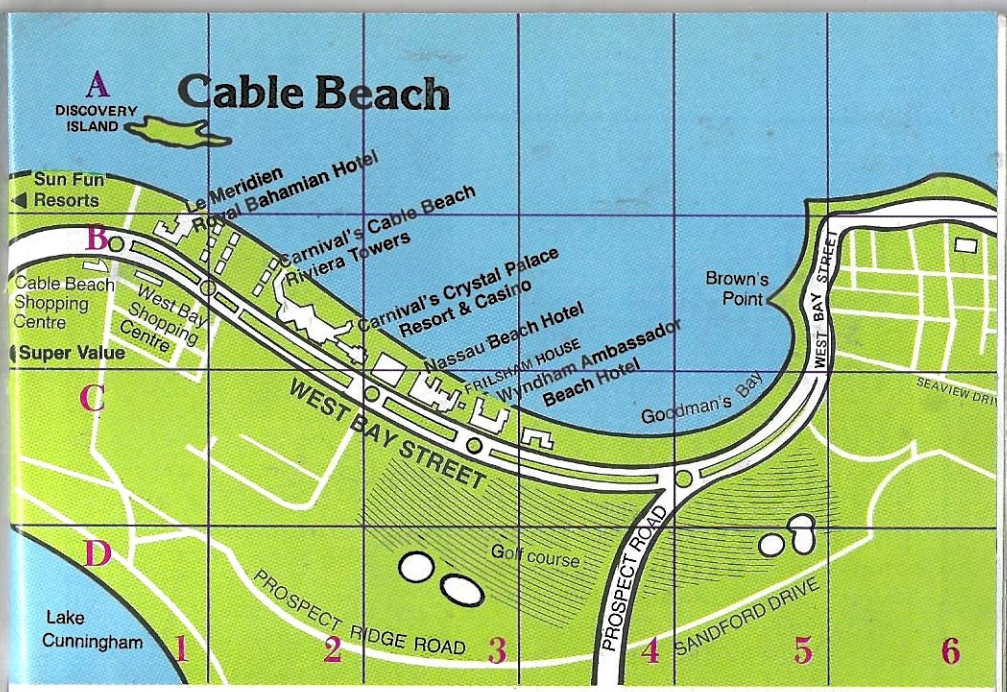
Paradise Island

NIGHTCLUBS, RESTAURANTS, HOTELS
Club Land' or, off Paradise Beach Dr., No. B-3
The Ocean Club, off Paradise Is. Dr., No. B-6
Paradise Island Resort & Casino, Casino Dr., No. B-4
Paradise Paradise Hotel, Casuarina Dr., No. A-2
Paradise Pavilion Restaurant, Casuarina Dr., No. A-2
The Sheraton Grand Hotel on Paradise Island, Casino Dr., No. B-4
Swanks Pizza, Paradise Is. Shopping Centre, No. B-4

STORES
John Bull, Paradise Is. Shopping Ctr., No. B-4; Paradise Island Resort and Casino, B-4
Island Shops, Paradise Is. Shopping Ctr., No. B-4
Little Switzerland, Britannia Towers, No. B-4; Paradise Is. Shopping Centre, No. B-4
Mademoiselle, Britannia Towers, off Casino Dr., No. B-4; Pirate's Cove Holiday Inn, Casuarina Dr., No. A-2; Harbour Cove Inn, Harbour Dr., No. C-4; Paradise Is. Shopping Centre, No. B-4
Pipe of Peace, Paradise Is. Shopping Centre, No. B-4; Harbour Cove Inn, No. C-4
Solomon's Mines, Britannia Towers, No. B-4
The Perfume Salon, Paradise Island Casino, off Casino Dr., No. B-4

TRAVEL AND TOURS
Avis, Pirate's Cove Holiday Inn, Casuarina Dr., No. A-2
Budget, Merv Griffin's Paradise Island Airport, No. C-6
Chalks Intl., on the east end of Paradise Island, No. C-6
Calypso Cruises, off Paradise Beach Dr., No. C-3
Happy Tours, Pirate's Cove Holiday Inn, Casuarina Dr., No. A-2; Paradise Towers, Casino Dr., No. B-4
Merv Griffin's Paradise Island Airline on the east end of Paradise Island, No. C-6

OTHER
Sunrise Beach Villas, off Casino Dr., No.B-5
Paradise Island Beach Club, Ocean Ridge Dr.,No. B-6; (office) Ocean Ridge Dr., No.B-6.



Cable Beach

NIGHTCLUBS, RESTAURANTS, HOTELS
Cable Beach Inn, W. Bay St., No. B-1
Cable Beach Manor, W. Bay St., No. B-1
Carnival's Cable Beach Riviera Towers, W.Bay St., No. B-2
Carnival's Crystal Palace Resort & Casino W. Bay St., No. B-2
Casuarinas, W. Bay St., No. B-1
Discovery Island, No. A-1.
Frilsham House, W. Bay St., No. C-3
Henrea Carlette Hotel, W. Bay St., No. B-2
Kentucky Fried Chicken, Cable Beach Shopping Centre, W. Bay St., No. B-1
Le Meridien Royal Bahamian Hotel, W. Bay St., No. B-1
Nassau Beach Hotel, W. Bay St., No. C-3
Sun Fun Resorts, West Bay St.
Swanks, Cable Beach Shopping Centre, W. Bay St., No. B-1
Tony Roma's, Saunders Beach, W. Bay St., No. B-6
Wyndham Ambassador Beach Hotel, W. Bay St., No. C-3

STORES
Beach Hut, Cable Beach Inn, W. Bay St., No. B-1
Island Shop, Nassau Beach Hotel, W. Bay St., No. C-3
Leather Masters, Carnival's Crystal Palace Resort & Casino Shopping Mall, W. Bay St., No. B-2
Little Switzerland Nassau Beach Hotel, W. Bay St., No.C-3
Mademoiselle, Cable Beach Inn, W. Bay St., west of B-1; Nassau Beach Hotel, W. Bay St., No. C-3; Wyndham Ambassador Beach Hotel, W. Bay St., No. C-3
Solomon's Mines, Nassau Beach Hotel, W. Bay St., No. C-3
The Grog Shop, Nassau Beach Hotel, W. Bay St., No. C-3
The Perfume Salon, Carnival's Crystal Palace Resort & Casino Shopping Mall, W.Bay St., No. B-2

TRAVEL AND TOURS
Happy Tours, Carnival's Cable Beach Riviera Towers, W. Bay St., No. B-2; Wyndham Ambassador Beach Hotel, W. Bay St., No. C-3

SUPERMARKET GOURMET SHOP
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In households around the world, people are turning tabletops into works of artistic expression, using a mixture of crystal and china patterns and colours.

Like clothing, a selection of crystal and china is an expression of you. With prices 30 per cent lower than in the United States, tax-free Bahamaland is one of the best places to purchase dinnerware that will "express" your taste.

Nassau's shops carry a large selection of china and crystal – everything from bold cut to classically simple. Great buys can be made on famous brand names from England, Scotland, Spain Scandinavia, Ireland, Italy, Germany, France and Japan. Whatever your taste, there are patterns and colours to help you create a captivating table for any occasion.

From Unusual To Romantic

If you want a setting that is "non-traditional" for example, check out the latest bright and bold patterns with unusual shapes. For a warm and romantic table, soft seasoned colours and subtle patterns are available. You'll also find a variety of serving pieces with classic lines,

which are ideal for this type of setting.

Don't forget the candles and a proper china or crystal candle holder!

Table-top Accessories

Be sure to pay special attention to table-top accessories. Like clothing, the right accessories can enhance a table-top and help food to look more appetizing. First consider the type of food you're serving, the design of your china and the colour and decor of your dining area. Then select accessories that will complement each feature and add elegance to the occasion.

Select suitable table coverings, as they are considered the "foundation" of a setting. A good collection should include at least one formal tablecloth, several cloths for informal dining, napkins and several placemats in a variety of colours. Table coverings come in almost every fabric,

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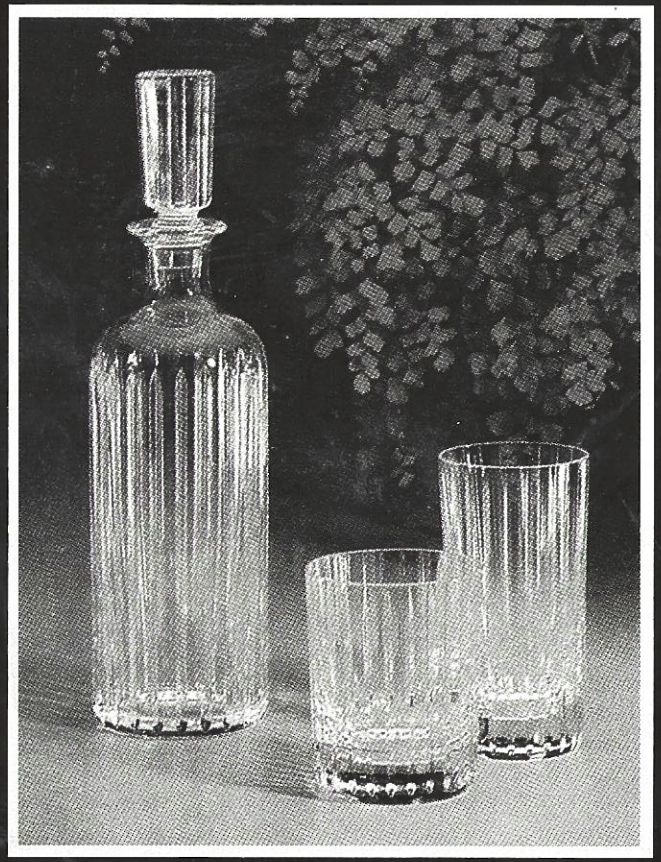

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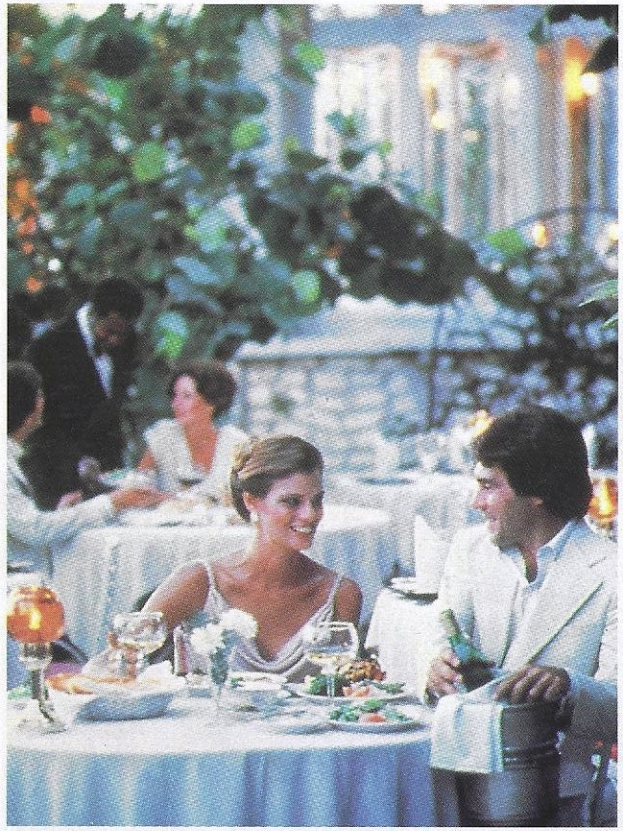

Cafe Martinique

Delight in a fabulous French meal at this intimate restaurant overlooking beautiful Paradise Lagoon. While you dine on the candlelit terrace or in our intimate alcoves, enjoy such classics as Escargots, Beef Wellington and Cherries Jubilee. Music and dancing complete the romantic mood. Cafe Martinique is also included in The Taste of Paradise Dining Plan (See **Taste of Paradise** section for details.)

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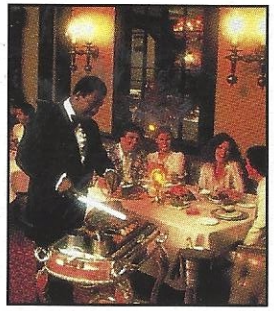

Fine Continental and American fare await in this regal setting of leather, oak, and glittering chandeliers. Succulent prime rib, hearty steaks and Caesar Salad are menu standouts. Music nightly.

The Grill Room

Outstanding wines, charcoal grilled steaks and chops, and skilled service are highlights of this intimate Continental restaurant.

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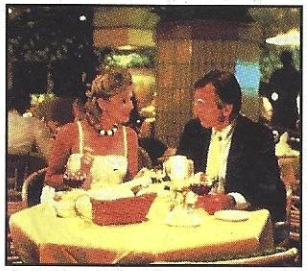
Come to this exotic spot for Szechuan, Cantonese, and Polynesian dishes. Enjoy a relaxed ambiance, Lobster Cantonese, Triple Dragon and oversized tropical drinks.

Villa d'Este

Visit our elegant ristorante for classical guitar music and the myriad delights of Italian kitchens: Fettucine Alfredo, Veal Milanese and superb pastries.

Gulfstream

Stop by Gulfstream with its contemporary decor and upbeat music for some of the best fresh Bahamian and imported seafood on the island.



Spices

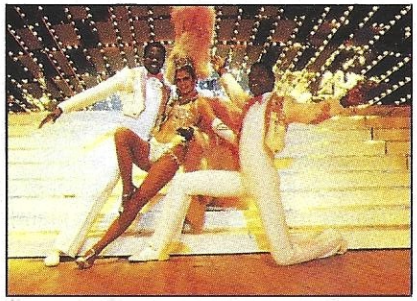
Hot and spicy Caribbean and Bahamian food receive rave reviews in this tropical lobby restaurant with its attractive garden decor and casual atmosphere.

FOR RESERVATIONS TO ANY OF THESE FINE RESTAURANTS— CALL OUR RESTAURANT RESERVATIONS DESK AT 363-3000 EXT. 29.

All restaurants on this page are part of the exciting **Taste of Paradise Dining Plan.** See the following page for details and savings on the plan!

Come to our Le Cabaret Theatre for all the glitter and glamour of Las Vegas.

LE CABARET THEATRE



You get a sizzling night of entertainment with "Dazzling Deception"—a multi-million dollar Las Vegas-style revue. See everything from gorgeous showgirls to mesmerizing magic! Cocktail and dinner shows nightly, except Sunday.

Get three nights of fabulous dining with The Taste of Paradise Dining Plan.

Savor Paradise with the Taste of Paradise Dining Plan. Taste of Paradise gives you *guaranteed reservations* for three dinners at a *choice of eight outstanding Paradise Island Resort & Casino restaurants* for only $129 per person! But if you **present this page, you'll save $10!** So for just $119,* you'll enjoy exciting entertainment and three nights of unparalleled cuisine.

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NIGHT ONE of the plan is a culinary tour de force with a choice of four superb restaurants: **Cafe Martinique, Bahamian Club, Gulfstream or Villa d'Este.**

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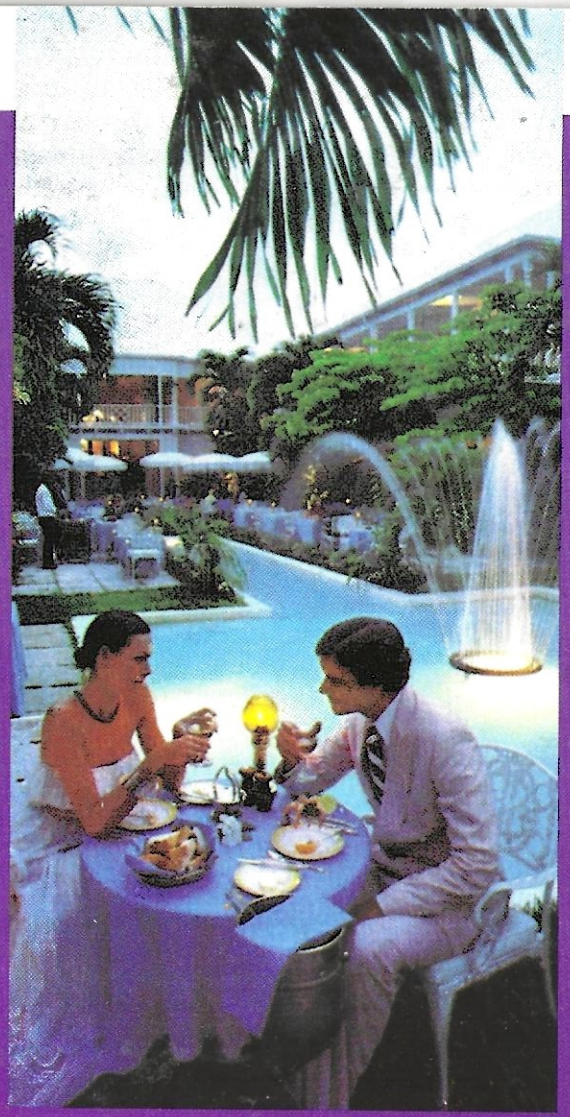

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The best reason to visit the casino by day is our special offer below: a **$10 Match Play coupon!** Use it to double your $10 bet at our blackjack tables. It's your ticket to a bigger piece of the casino action. (See details on the back of this coupon.)

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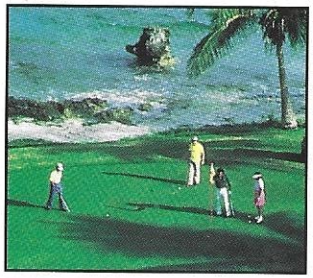
To complete your stay in Paradise—check out our outstanding golf course.



If you're a golf enthusiast, the 18-hole championship Paradise Island Golf Course is the place to be. Designed by Dick Wilson, this scenic and challenging course is home to the annual Paradise Island Celebrity Pro-Am. Come to the Paradise Island Golf Course and take on the challenge of our dogleg holes, sand traps and water hazards!

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For more information on the Taste of Paradise Dining Plan and to make reservations at any Paradise Island Resort & Casino restaurant call 363-3000 ext. 29 or stop by the Restaurant Reservations Desk. AND DON'T FORGET TO USE YOUR $10 TASTE OF PARADISE DISCOUNT AND THE $10 MATCH PLAY COUPON BELOW.

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Once upon a time in Jamaica as legend has it there lived a white witch the beautiful and mysterious Annie Palmer mistress of the sugar-rich Rose Hall Plantation. It is said she was possessed by spirits and practised voodoo not only on her slaves but on her four husbands. Though legends tend to exaggerate, Parfums Jamaica's new fragrance White Witch with all the mystery and beauty of the tropics only accentuates your bewitching powers ...

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Shangri-La For Sensational Scents

Nassau is a shoppers' paradise for sensational fragrances from around the world. For generations, Bahamian merchants have supplied visitors with the best-known and latest scents – at the lowest possible prices.

Here, in tax-free Bahamaland, there is no direct sales or value-added tax on any fragrance. In general, you can save up to 40 per cent over United States prices. Chances are you may even find a sale, during which greater savings occur.

There are fragrances of every kind available in perfume shops throughout the island. You'll find everything from the French-style classics to the newer Space Age scents. Also displayed are luxurious collections of scented bath basics – soaps, gels, shampoos and lots of other scented delights to enhance your perfume.

A major plus is the cooperative attitudes of well-trained perfume personnel available to help you select scents that are ideal for every mood, occasion and pocketbook. Instead of large crowded stores, you'll find charming first-class perfumeries with a friendly atmosphere.

Island Specials

While in Nassau, sniff out the special buys in island fragrances. For many visitors, a tropical fragrance is just the thing to reconstitute memories of beautiful Bahama days.

Truly representative of the charms of the islands are: **Pink Pearl, Paradise Cologne** and **Sand** – all of them creations manufactured by Fragrance of The Bahamas Limited.

Visitors will find that Bahamian made fragrances are unusual and rare – but not costly. **Sand**, for example, is a men's cologne featuring a sample of the sand for which the islands are famous. For women, there's the **Pink Pearl** fragrance which actually contains pearls made from the shell of the Queen conch.

Nisbet-Stewart, also a local company, distributes Royall fragrances. Manufactured regionally, The Royall Lyme exotic scents contain rare and essential oils from the islands and around the world. **Royall Lyme** all-purpose lotion, for example, contains the oil of the plumpest, freshest, native West Indian Royall Limes. The lotion is mixed with the finest distilled alcohol and then formulated with other oils from various countries. Each Royall bottle is a collector's item made from old clay molds, com-

plete with bumps, warps and imperfections. Other Royall scents include **Royall Spyce, Royall Bay Rhum** and **Royall Muske.**

Another exotic West Indian fragrance is **White Witch** by Parfums Jamaica. Legend has it the original White Witch Annie Palmer, mistress of a Jamaican sugar plantation, was possessed by spirits and practised Voodoo on her four husbands and her slaves. Though legends tend to exaggerate, **White Witch** was designed to capture the mystery and beauty of the tropics, thus enhancing your bewitching powers. **White Witch** comes in a unique bottle and is lighter than perfume but richer than cologne.

Whatever your choice in scents, be sure to purchase original fragrances. According to experts, imitation fragrances may appear to have the same scent as famous brands, but is not as rich as the original. In addition, scents may evaporate too quickly from the bottle, thus the lingering effect on the skin is poor. Only with the original product can you be assured of quality.

In The Bahamas or at home, there is an ideal fragrance suitable for whatever you do. While on your Bahama holidays, take time to stock up on your favourite scents for yourself or friends and experiment with new ones as well.

Romancing the Scent

A company spends thousands, researches and blends for months and comes up with a new fragrance. Then what? Romancing the scent is what – because the public must know about the virtues of the new creation before it can pay back the thousands invested.

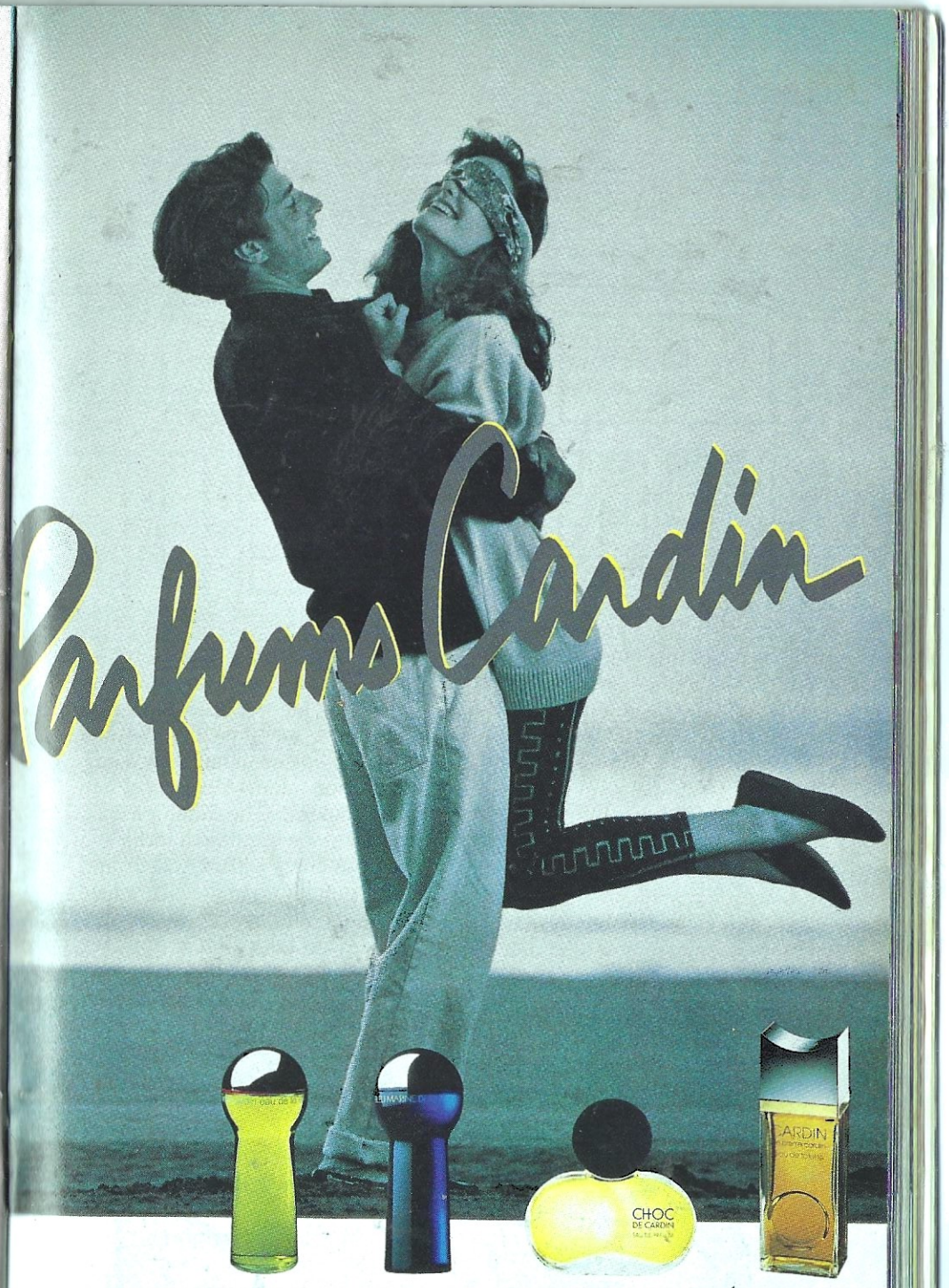
Luck, glamour, celebrities – even superstitions – are among elements in the successful launch of a new scent.

Coco Chanel's lucky number is 5. When her chemists presented scents which were numbered but not named, Chanel went for No. 5 and so the classic Chanel No. 5 was born. In The Bahamas, we double Chanel's lucky number, for 10 is an auspicious number in our ancient, African-based sorcery known as obeah. Some say that the Bahamian national birthday, July 10, 1973, is especially lucky.

Coco Chanel also started the tradition of perfumes named for famous fashion designers – people like Calvin Klein, Jean Patou, Jacques Fath, Givenchy, Gucci, Anne Klein, Ted Lapidus, Balmain, Fendi, Gianfranco Ferre, Giorgio, Rochas, Dior, Yves St. Laurent, Valentino, Oscar de la Renta, the list goes on and on...

Film Star Glamour

Film stars add their backing to a fragrance and it usually



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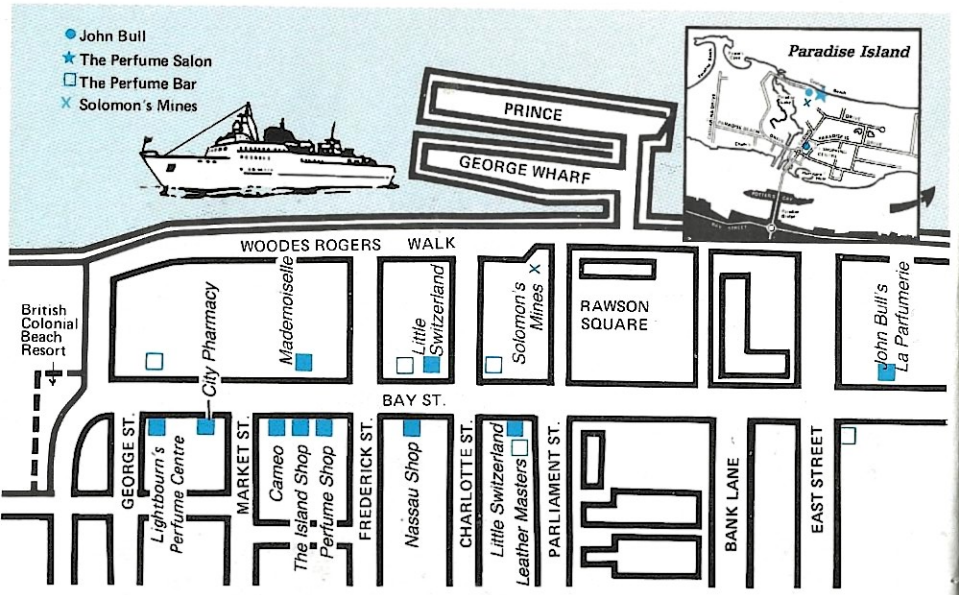
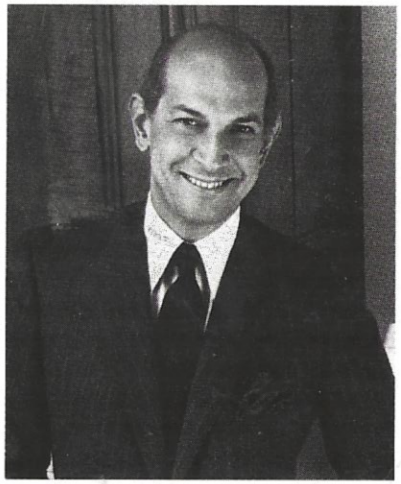


becomes trendy as well as glamorous. Elizabeth Taylor's Passion comes to mind in this category. For men, the French matinee idol Alain Delon has produced Iquitos, named for the macho adventure of a trip to the Peruvian Amazon port of Iquitos.

The glamorous stars of stage and screen are well represented in the perfume market. There are, for example, signature fragrances for Priscilla Presley, Joan Collins, Mikhail Baryshnikov, Cher, Herb Alpert and Michael Jackson. The latter's Magic Beat line was less than a thriller. It was launched with a splash and then quickly sank. His close friend, the aforementioned violet-eyed Liz Taylor, launched her perfume and it took in $35 million during its first four months.

When Daniel Aubusson launched Histoire d'Amour (Story of Love) his press releases spoke of women and romance: "To love women," says Aubusson, "is to love life.. the silken curtain of their hair, their exquisite laughter."

Oscar de la Renta



'Euphoric Harmony'

He called his new scent "a fragrance of disturbing beauty... a euphoric harmony of *chypre,* both fresh and sensual, one of the

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classic elements of great French perfumes."

Who could resist at least a sniff of a scent described as "a glorious intermingling with a profusion of such florals as jasmine, rose, narcissus and orange flowers; given depth and definition by musk and mandarin, oak-moss and ylang-ylang"?

Often, the bottle is involved in the romancing and selling of fine fragrance. Take the lipshaped crystal container of Le Parfum de Salvador Dali. The famous artist used the nose and lips of the Greek Goddess of Love, Aphrodite, to fire the imagination of a crystal craftsman "who laboured long and diligently".

Bottles Cost $2,000

Handblown, the Dali bottles were polished hour after hour before the lips were delicately sanded. There are 5,000 bottles, all bearing Dali's signature. The price? $2,000 a bottle. That includes a certificate of authenticity.

High fashion designer Oscar de la Renta says his perfume bottle was inspired by "childhood memories of sweet-smelling dew-touched flowers in my native Santo Domingo."

Calvin Klein's collection of antique blond tortoise shell provided the amber colour scheme of his Obsession bottle. Karl Lagerfeld's trademark – the fan – was a natural for his KL perfume. Perfume and cologne bottles have indeed become collectors' items and there are collectors in The Bahamas as well as many other countries.

Sex and Scents

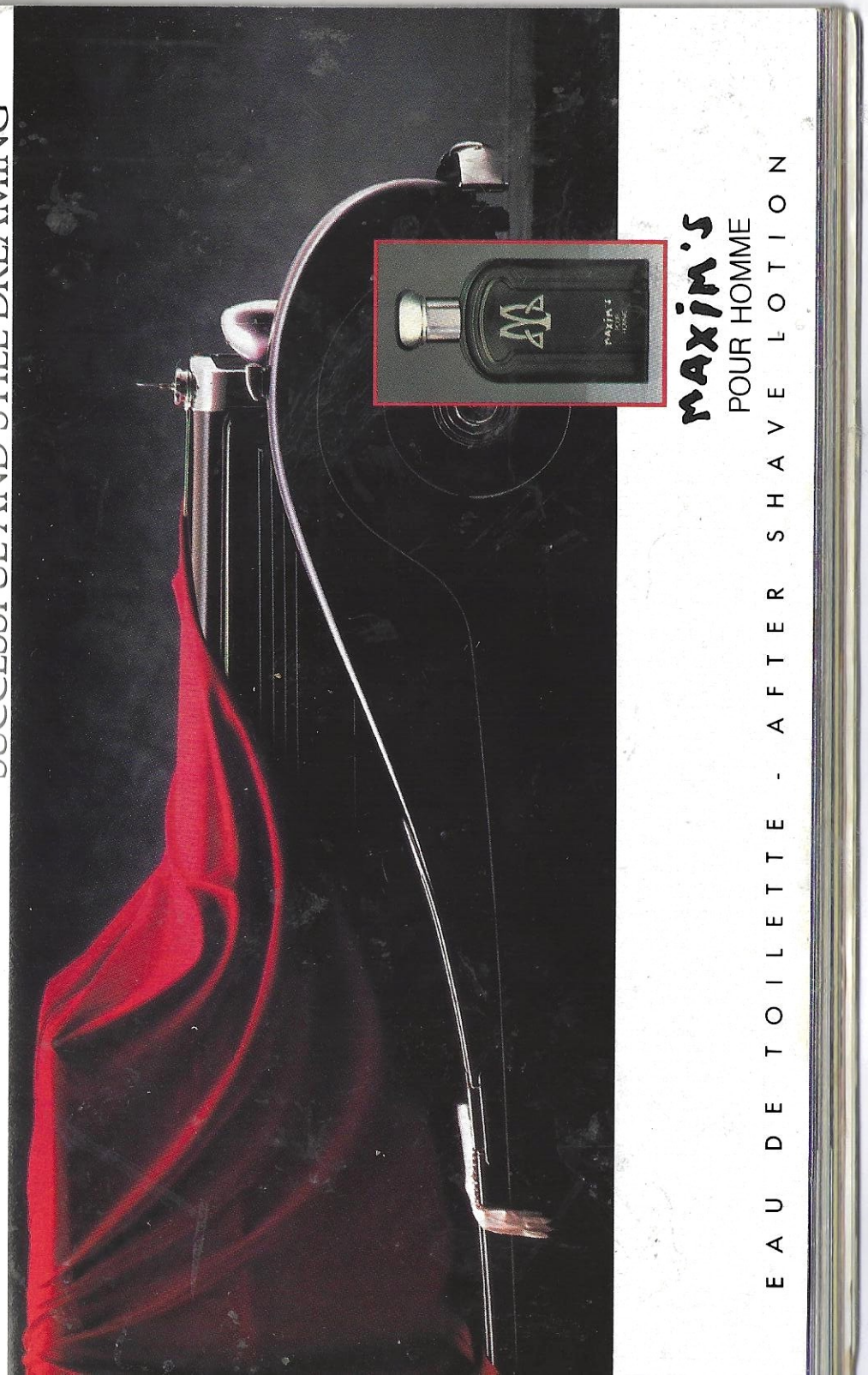
Natural musk, the glandular secretion of the male musk deer, has been associated with sexuality and perfumery for centuries. Perfumers of India and China believed musk had healing and sensual powers.

In the 12th century, musk made its way to Europe and the famed perfumers of France. There, the substance became one of the essential perfumery oils. In the Far East, musk has been considered to be a powerful aphrodisiac. (In The Bahamas, we seem to prefer conch as a so-called aphrodisiac).

In order to understand the press releases of perfume manufacturers, it is best to be familiar with the basic groupings of scents as follows:

- **Greens:** essences from clean and balsamic greenery, leaves, grasses, stems, twigs and barks; outdoorsy and sporty.
- **Floral:** takes its cue from nature's flowers; may be a single "note", such as a rose; floral blends have been used to create the most popular of perfumes used by women of all ages.
- **Modern Blends:** created from highly reactive compounds and ingredients; form distinctly opulent, sensual and elegant fragrances.
- **Chypre:** sometimes called the moss group; probably the most refined of all perfume fixatives; the moss grows on oak, spruce and fruit trees; imparts a rich, woodsy, earthy and mossy quality.
- **Oriental:** warm, exotic, alluring, dark; utilizes many rare flowers, fruits, woods and oils from the mysterious East; bergamot, ambergris, tangerine, jas-

SUCCESSFUL AND STILL DREAMING



Perfume Price Comparison

Prices on internationally known perfumes and scents can be as much as 40 per cent less costly in The Bahamas. Following is a SAMPLING of comparative prices. The B$ is on par with the U.S.$.

	$ Nassau	$ New York (add sales tax)
WOMEN'S FRAGRANCES		
Animale, 1 oz. perfume	170.00	200.00
Anne Klein II, 1.7oz. eau de parfum spray	25.50	30.00
Anne Klein, 1/4oz. perfume	44.00	58.00
Azzaro 9, 3.4oz. eau de parfum spray	39.10	45.00
Bal a Versailles, 1oz. perfume	133.25	150.00
Byzance, 15ml. perfume	87.00	N/A
Chanel No.19, 3.4oz. toilet water spray	39.00	46.50
Chanel No.5, 1oz. perfume	130.00	190.00
Chloe, 1oz. perfume	120.00	144.00
Chopard Happy Diamonds, 1oz. perfume	180.00	N/A
Coco, 1oz. perfume	155.00	200.00
Couture, 1/2oz. perfume	80.00	100.00
Creation, Ted Lapidus, 1/2oz. perfume	81.50	90.00
Creature, 1oz. perfume	136.00	170.00
Diva, 1oz. perfume	160.00	200.00
Eternity, 1oz. perfume	148.00	185.00
Fendi, 1oz. perfume	128.00	165.00
First, 1oz. perfume	142.50	190.00
Gem, 1oz. perfume	146.25	195.00
Gianfranco Ferre, 1/4 oz. perfume	52.00	60.00
Giorgio, 1oz. perfume	148.50	165.00
Gucci No.3, 1oz. perfume	172.00	185.00
K de Krizia, 3.4oz. toilet water spray	42.00	52.50
Kenzo, 50ml eau de parfum	55.00	65.00
Knowing, 1oz. perfume	270.00	300.00
KL, 1oz. perfume	120.00	150.00
L'Air du Temps, 1oz. perfume	110.00	185.00
L'Insolent, 1.7oz. eau de parfum	52.50	N/A
Le Dix, 4.6oz. toilet water	24.50	N/A
MCM, 30ml eau de parfum	23.50	29.50
Madame Rochas, 1/2oz. perfume	57.00	N/A
Maxim's, 100ml. toilet water spray	26.45	32.00
Miss Dior, 1/4oz. perfume	42.75	55.00
Montana, 1oz. perfume	132.00	165.00
Must De Cartier, 1oz. perfume	120.00	150.00
Niki de Saint Phalle, 1oz. perfume	147.00	190.00
Nina, 1oz. perfume	120.00	175.00
Obsession, 1oz. perfume	140.00	170.00
Opium, 1oz. perfume	140.00	175.00
Panthere de Cartier, 1oz. perfume	150.00	170.00
Paradise, 2oz. cologne	9.75	N/A
Paris, 2.5oz. toilet water spray	31.00	37.50
Passion, 1oz. perfume	148.00	160.00
Pavlova, 1/2oz. perfume	68.00	N/A
Pink Pearl, 4oz. cologne spray	22.00	N/A
Poison, 1oz. eau de parfum	63.75	N/A
Quadrille, 1/2oz. perfume	68.60	N/A
Scherrer 2, 1 oz. perfume	127.00	175.00
Shalimar, 1oz. perfume	140.00	185.00
Teatro Alla Scala, 20ml. perfume	120.00	150.00
Tiv, 2.5oz. parfum spray	30.00	N/A
Trussardi, 3.3oz. toilet water	50.00	N/A
Vivre, 1oz. perfume	63.00	N/A
White Witch, 2oz. eau de parfum	14.65	N/A
Ysatis, 1/2oz. perfume	73.50	100.00
MEN'S FRAGRANCES		
Azzaro, 100ml. eau de toilet spray	34.25	36.00
Bleu Marine de Cardin, 100 ml toilet water	23.95	N/A
Cardin de Pierre Cardin, 4 oz. eau de toilet	18.50	N/A
Derby, 100ml. toilet water	40.00	N/A
Eau Sauvage, 8 oz. cologne	38.75	50.00
Fahrenheit,	N/A	N/A
Francesco Smalto, 100 ml. toilet water spray	36.00	50.00
French Line, 50 ml. eau de toilet spray	24.00	25.00
Futuros, 100ml. eau de toilet vapo	32.00	42.50
Grey Flannel, 120ml. toilet water spray	26.05	31.00
Gucci Nobile, 4oz. toilet water	40.00	N/A
Halston Limited, 4oz. toilet water	30.00	35.00
Halston Z12, 100ml splash	22.00	25.00
Halston Z14, 100ml splash	22.00	25.00
Ho Hang, 90ml. toilet water	22.85	N/A
Kouros, 8oz. cologne	46.00	57.00
Krizia Uomo, 125ml. splash	30.00	37.50
L'Homme, 100ml. toilet water spray	26.35	N/A
Lagerfeld, 125ml. toilet water spray	27.20	29.00
Lapidus, 1oz. cologne	13.95	16.00
MCM, 50ml eau de toilet spray	26.50	33.00
Maxim's Pour Homme, 100ml. toilet water	28.00	N/A
One Man Show, 250ml. toilet water spray	33.50	38.50
Royall Bay Rhum, 4oz. cologne	16.00	22.50
Royall Lyme, 4oz. cologne	16.00	22.50
Royall Muske, 4oz. cologne	16.00	22.50
Royall Spyce, 4oz. cologne	16.00	22.50
Sand, 4oz. cologne	15.75	N/A
Tiv Pour Lui, 1/4oz. pocket spray	12.50	N/A
Trussardi Uomo, 3.3oz. splash	40.00	N/A
Xeryus, 100ml. toilet water spray	34.65	40.00

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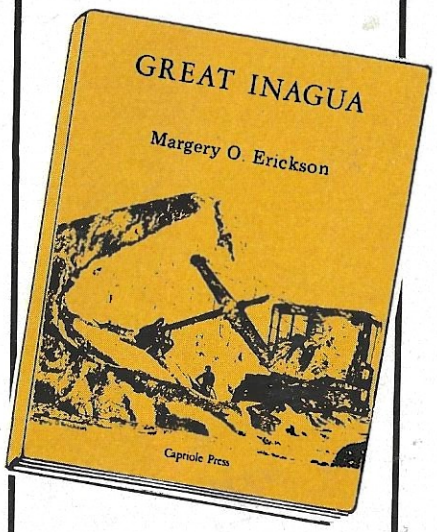

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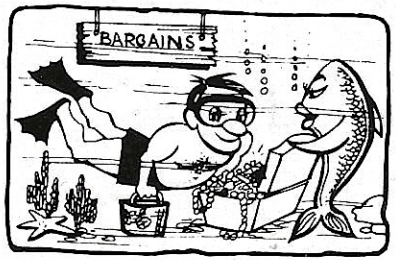
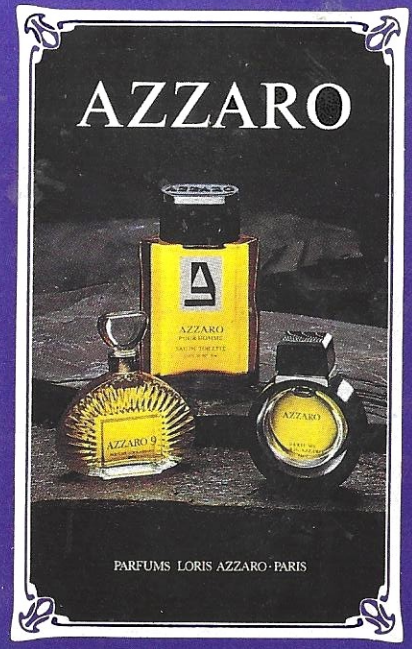
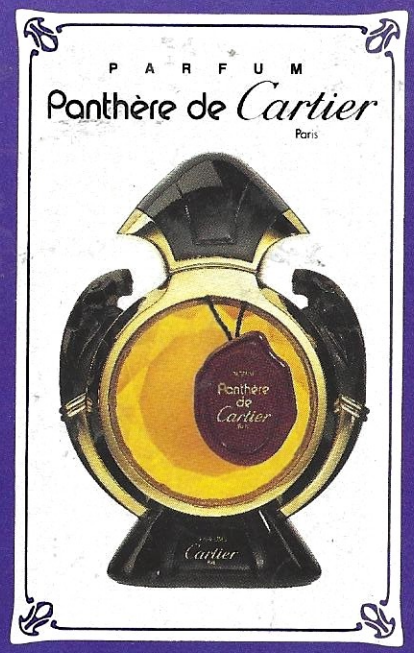
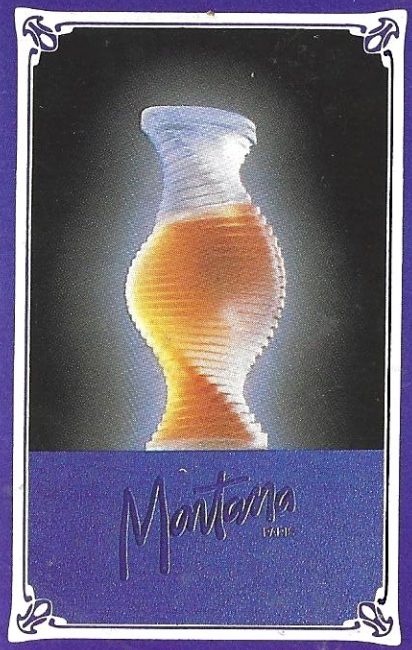
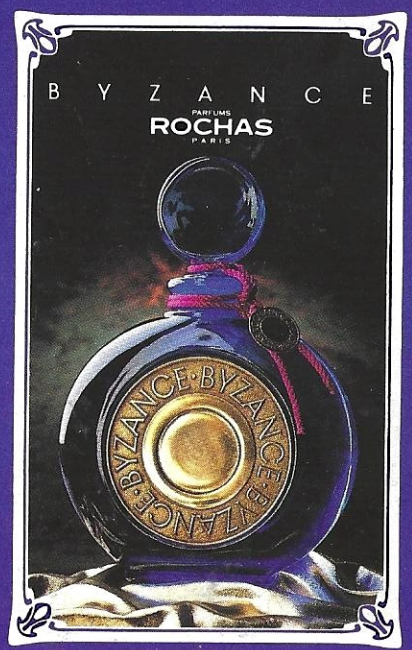
FRAGRANCES WE RECOMMEND (LADIES)
Animale, Anne Klein, Anne Klein II, Azzaro 9, Bal a Versailles, Byzance, Chanel No. 5, Chanel No. 19, Chloe, Chopard Happy Diamonds, Coco, Creation, Creature, Diva, Eternity, Fendi, First, Fleurs d' Orlane, Gem, Gianfranco Ferre, Giorgio, Gucci No. 3, K de Krizia, Kenzo, Le Dix, L'Air du Temps, L'Instant D'Eternite, L'Insolent, Madame Rochas, Maxim's, MCM, Miss Dior, Mon Classique de Morabito, Montana, Must de Cartier, Niki de Saint Phalle, Nina, Obsession, Opium, Pavlova, Panthere de Cartier, Paradise, Paris, Passion, Pink Pearl, Poison, Quadrille, Rumba, Shalimar, Scherrer 2, Sinan, Teatro Alla Scala, Trussardi, Valentin Palomba, White Witch, Ysatis.











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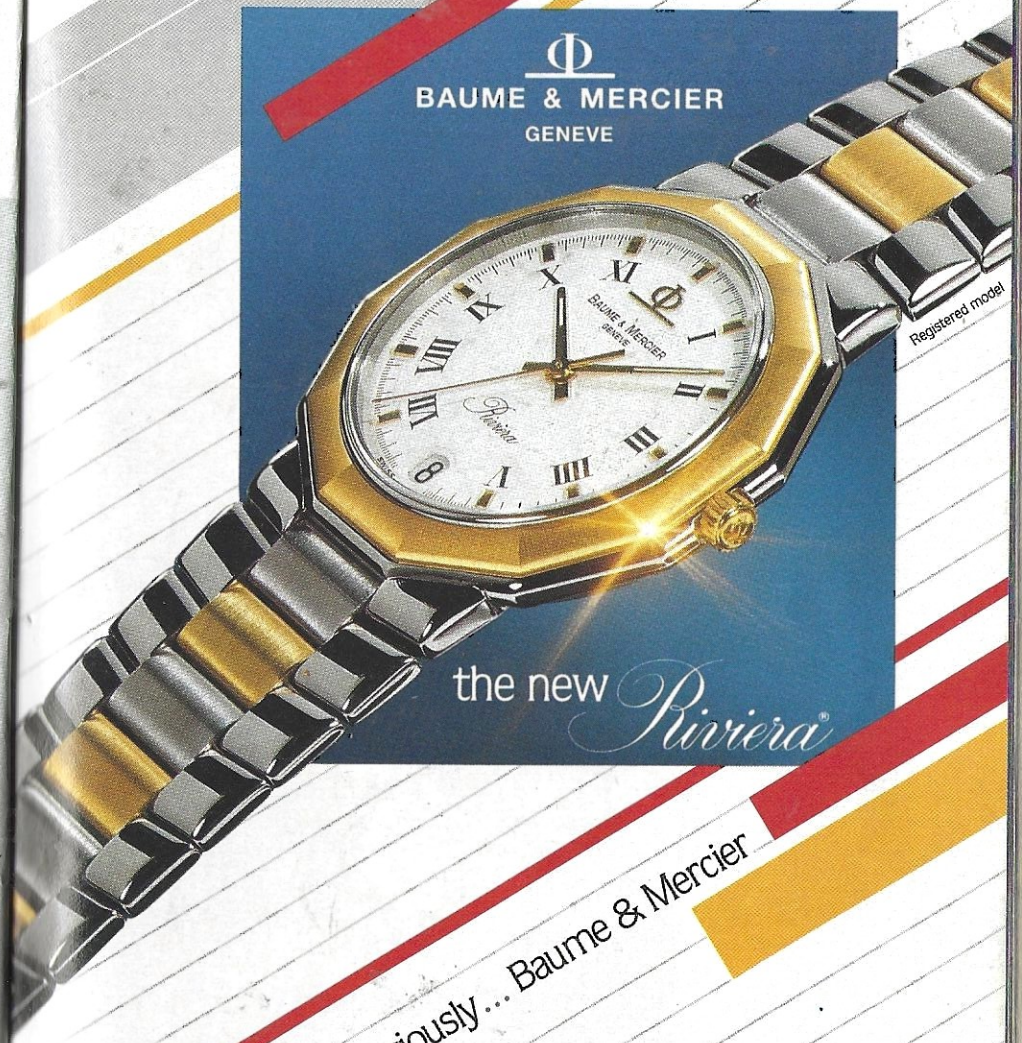

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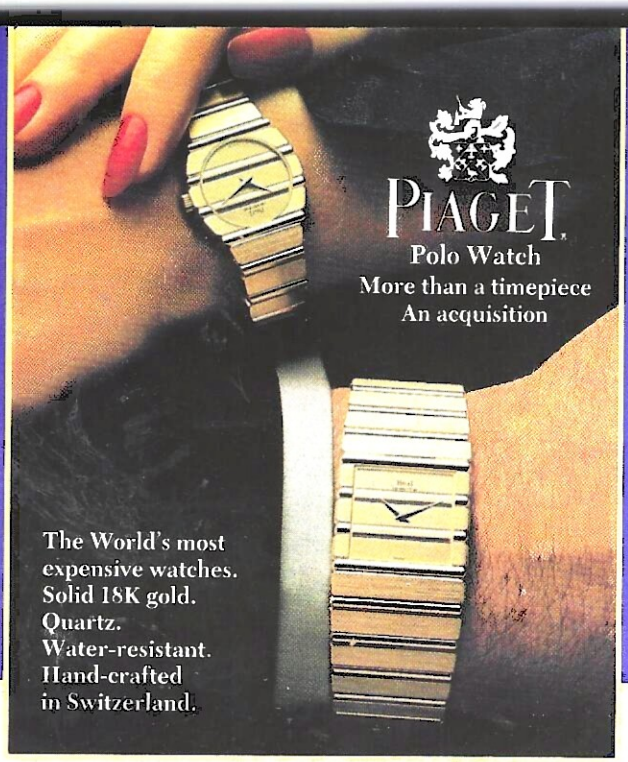

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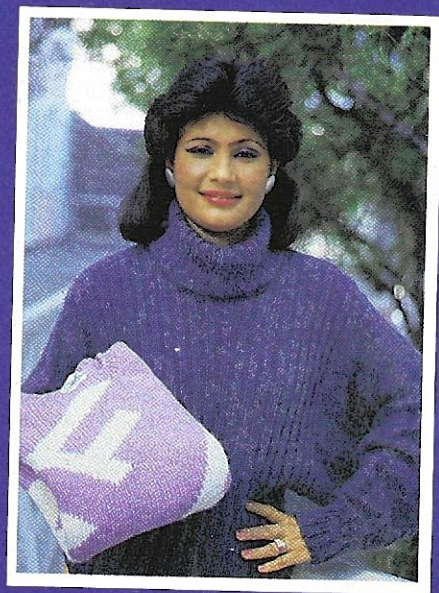

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Shopping Directory

ART
Sunshine Fashions, The Corner Shop, The Scottish Shop.

BOOKS & NEWSPAPERS
The Island Shops, and leading hotels.

CALYPSO RECORDS
Pyfrom's Department Store, The Island Shops.

CAMERAS & FILM
John Bull stores, Old Nassau, The Island Shops.
Canon, Kodak, Olympus.

CHINA, POTTERY, CRYSTAL
Bernard's, Little Switzerland, Mademoiselle, Old Nassau, Pipe of Peace, Solomon's Mines, The Scottish Shop, Treasure Traders.
Aynsley, Baccarat, Buchan Pottery, Coalport, Cristal d'Arques, Crown Staffordshire, Daum, Edinburgh Crystal, Hummel, Hutschenreuther, Lalique, Lenox, Limoges, Lladro, Noritake, Orrefors, Rosenthal, Royal Copenhagen, Royal Crown Derby, Royal Doulton, Royal Worcester, Schott Zwiesel, Spode, Swarovski, Waterford, Wedgwood.

COINS
John Bull, Coin of the Realm, Paramount Coins.

COSMETICS
John Bull's La Parfumerie, Little Switzerland, Mademoiselle, Nassau Shop, The Island Shops.
Chanel (exclusive to John Bull's La Parfumerie),*Christian Dior, Elizabeth Arden, Estee Lauder, Lancaster, Orlane, Yves St. Laurent Beaute* (exclusive to John Bull's La Parfumerie).

FASHIONS
Ambrosine, Androsia of Cable Beach, Androsia of The Sheraton Grand Hotel on Paradise Island, Cole's of Nassau, Gucci, Mademoiselle, MCM, Naf-Naf (Deviation), Nassau Shop, Pyfrom's Department Store, Sunshine Fashions, The Beach Hut, The Corner Shop, The Island Shops, The Scottish Shop.

FIGURINES
Bernard's, Little Switzerland, The Scottish Shop, Treasure Traders.

FILM PROCESSING
The Island Shops.

HANDBAGS & EVENING BAGS
Brass & Leather Shops, John Bull's Designer Boutique, Cole's of Nassau, Gucci, Leather Masters, Leather-N-Things, Mademoiselle, MCM, Nassau Shop, The Scottish Shop.

JEWELLERY
Ambrosine, Bernard's, Brass & Leather Shops, John Bull, Coin of the Realm, Cole's of Nassau, Coral World, Discount Gold Mine, Discount Warehouse, Gold Ltd., Gucci, Little Switzerland, Mademoiselle, MCM, Nassau Shop, Old Nassau, The Beach Hut, The Scottish Shop, Treasure Box.

LEATHER GOODS & LUGGAGE
Brass & Leather Shops, John Bull's Designer Boutique, Gucci, Leather Masters, Leather-N-Things, MCM, Nassau Shop.

LINENS
Mademoiselle, Nassau Shop.

LINGERIE
Bacarat Lingerie, Cole's of Nassau, The Beach Hut.

LIQUORS
Britannia Beach Liquor Store, Butler & Sands, Grog Shop, Henrea Carlette Liquor Store, Paradise Island Liquor Store.
Ricardo Coconut Rum.

MEN'S CLOTHING
Androsia of Cable Beach, Androsia of The Sheraton Grand Hotel on Paradise Island, Gucci, Le Bon, Mademoiselle, MCM, Naf-Naf (Deviation), Nassau Shop, Sunshine Fashions, The Corner Shop, The Island Shops.

PERFUME & COLOGNE
John Bull's La Parfumerie, Cameo Parfums, Leather Masters, Little Switzerland, Mademoiselle, MCM, Nassau Shop, Nisbet-Stewart Ltd., The Island Shops, The Perfume Salon.

SHOES & SANDALS
Brass & Leather Shops, Cole's of Nassau, Gucci, Leather Masters, Mademoiselle, The Beach Hut.

SILVER & CUTLERY
Bernard's, Coin of the Realm, Little Switzerland, The Scottish Shop, Treasure Box, Treasure Traders.

SKINCARE & HAIR PRODUCTS
John Bull's La Parfumerie, Mademoiselle, Nassau Shop, The Island Shops.
Chanel, Christian Dior, Elizabeth Arden, Estee Lauder, Lancaster, Orlane, Yves St. Laurent Beaute.

SOUVENIRS
Bernard's, John Bull, Coral World, Gucci, Little Switzerland, Mademoiselle, Nassau Shop, Pyfrom's Department Store, Sunshine Fashions, The Island Shops, The Scottish Shop.

SPORTSWEAR
Ambrosine, Cole's of Nassau, Mademoiselle, MCM, Nassau Shop, Pyfrom's Department Store, The Island Shops.

STAMPS FOR COLLECTORS
Coin of the Realm, The Post Office.

SUNGLASSES
John Bull's Designer Boutique, Little Switzerland, Nassau Shop.
Anne Klein, Christian Dior, Esprit, Foster Grant, Opti Ray, Playboy, Polaroid, Porsche, Ray Ban, Ted Lapidus.

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SWIMSUITS
Ambrosine, Cole's of Nassau, Mademoiselle, Nassau Shop, Sunshine Fashions, The Beach Hut, The Corner Shop, The Island Shops.

TARTANS
The Scottish Shop.

T-SHIRTS
Ambrosine, Coral World, Mademoiselle, Naf-Naf (Deviation), Nassau Shop, Pyfrom's Department Store, Sunshine Fashions, The Island Shops.

TOURS
Calypso Cruises, Coral World, Happy Tours, Hartley's Undersea Walk, Nautilus, Sea Island Adventure.

WATCHES & CLOCKS
Bernard's, John Bull stores, Coin of the Realm, Discount Gold Mine, Discount Warehouse, Gucci, Leather Masters, Little Switzerland, Mademoiselle, MCM, Nassau Shop, Old Nassau, The Island Shops, Treasure Traders.
Audemars Piguet, Avant-garde, Baume & Mercier, Bertolucci, Cartier, Citizen, Chopard, Christian Dior, Concord, Corum, Daniel Mink, Ebel, Ernest Borel, Fendi, Ferrari, Georg Jensen, Givenchy, Gruen, Gucci, Heuer, Jean d'Eve, Le Roy, MCM, Movado, Omega, Piaget, Porsche, Rado, Ravisa, Raymond Weil, Rolex, Seiko.

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Shop Cable Beach

standing watches by Ebel, Gucci, Rado and Seiko, to name just a few.

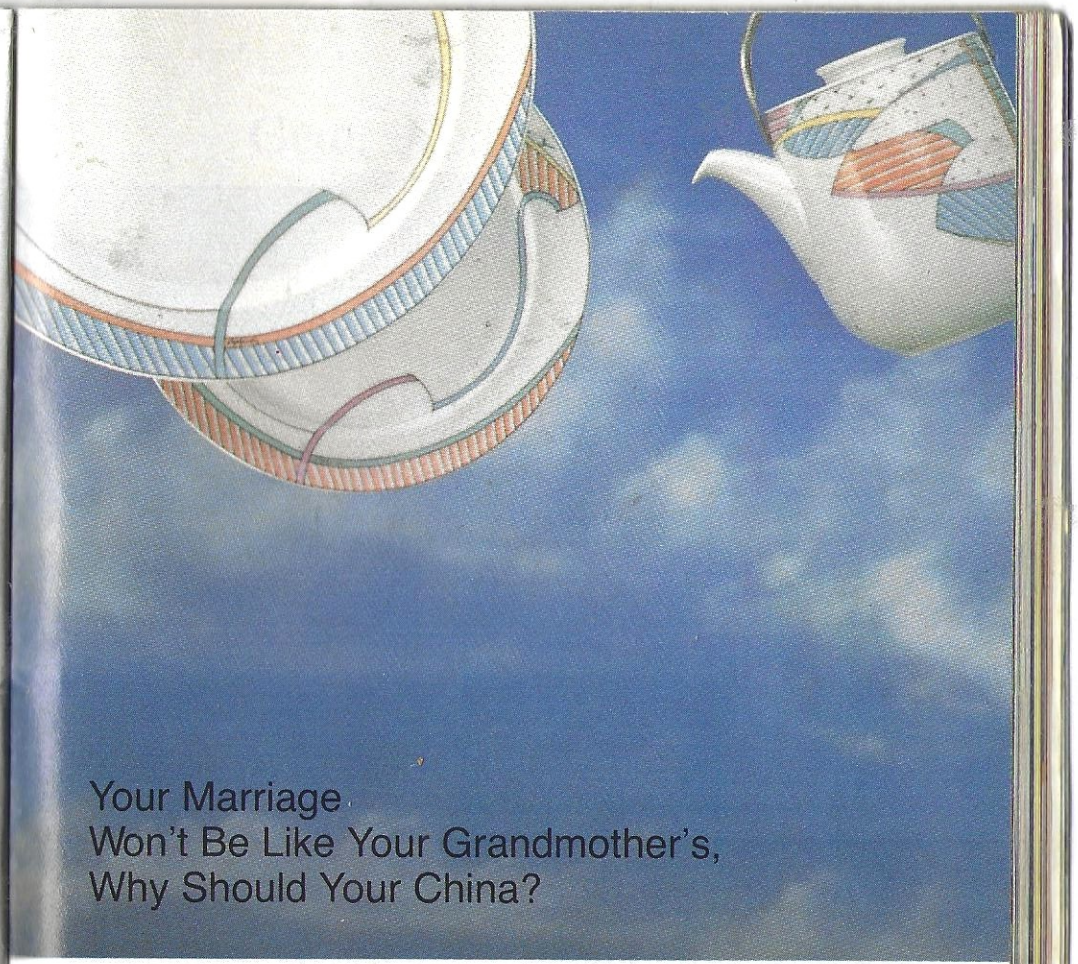
The Beach Hut, the island's swimwear specialist, is located in the Cable Beach Inn. They feature a wide selection of the latest swimwear for ladies and gents, plus everything you need for a fantastic day at the beach.

Mademoiselle, at the Nassau Beach, carries smart casual-wear and hand-batiked Androsia fashions for here and home. And nearby is **The Island Shop,** where you can stock up on magazines, books, film and souvenirs. **The Grog Shop** offers liquors and wines for your drinking pleasure.

Another liquor shop is situated in the Henrea Carlette Hotel on Cable Beach: **Henrea Carlette Liquor Store.**

CUSTOMS TIP

For U.S. Citizens there is a $400 duty-free allowance per person after a 48-hour absence. Allowance can be claimed once every 30 days.



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Bag of Shopping Hints

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BAY STREET

Butler & Sands provides the largest selection of wines and spirits at bargain prices. Ask for Nassau Royale and the popular coconut and banana rums as well as your favourite brands. The five pack and two pack boxes are excellent values with savings of 25% – 50% over U.S. prices. Convenient locations are on Bay St.: Beaumont House Liquor Store (Beaumont Arcade); Arcade Liquor Store (Bay & Frederick Sts.); Butler & Sands (Bay & East Sts.); Maury Roberts (next to the Royal Bank of Canada on Bay St.); Old Nassau Liquor Store (Woodes Rogers Walk); I Need A Liquor Store (West Bay St.). Others are Kenneth F. Butler Ltd. (Marlborough St.); Bahamas Wines & Spirits (Shirley St.); and Butler & Sands on John F. Kennedy Drive.

Treasure Box, on Bay St., carries an exclusive line of black elephant hair rings, ear-rings and bracelets. A spectacular selection of fine quality 14k gold bracelets, ear-rings and chains. Beautiful hand-painted Cloisonne accessories from China. Also a variety of cultured pearls, coral, jade and garnet jewellery.

Treasure Traders, on Bay St. is the place for crystal and china. They carry Baccarat, Lalique, Waterford, Wedgwood, Royal Copenhagen and Lladro from Spain and the Studio-Linie by Rosenthal, to name a few. Also, a beautiful silver crystal line from Austria called Swarovski.

Gold Ltd., an unusual jewellery store located on Bay St. across from the colourful Straw Market, offers a variety of gold charms, rings, pendants, bracelets and ear-rings, with more than 1,500 items manufactured in The Bahamas. They are manufactured locally from pure gold bullion, and are Duty Free. Gold's management team includes a graduated gemologist; the store features many exclusive diamond and gemstone pieces.

Discount Warehouse, on Bay St., is the ideal place to purchase your favourite jewellery at low prices. Fine jewellery includes chains, rings, charms, ear-rings and much more. There's also island jewellery made from conch shell and coral. Take your pick from a good selection of watches including Gruen, Consul, and Seiko.

Walk into **Cameo Parfums** on Bay St. opposite the Straw Market and be delighted by their wide selection of fine fragrances from around the world. Popular names include Oscar de la Renta, Calvin Klein, Fendi, Christian Dior and Nina Ricci, to name a few. **Cameo Parfums** is one of two stores featuring Giorgio.

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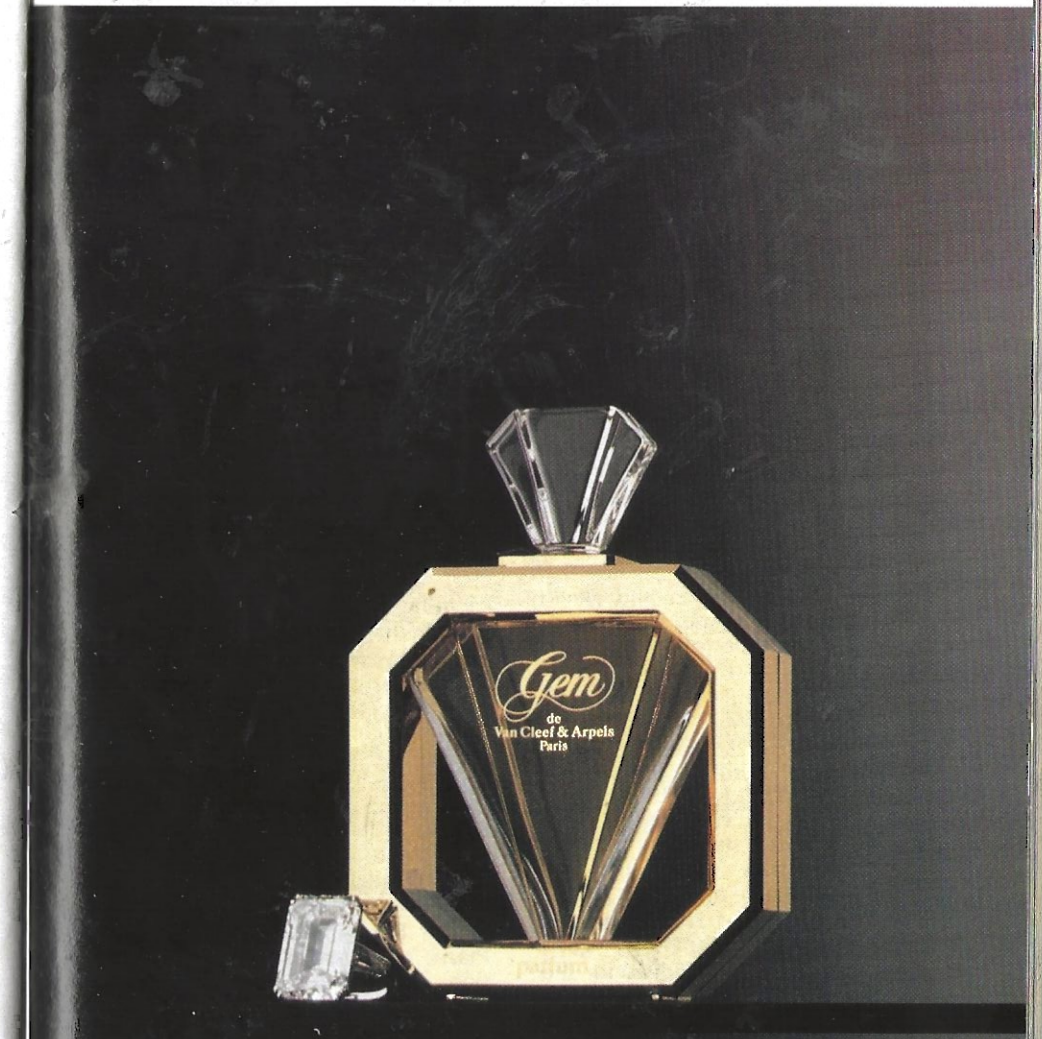

Parfums
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Come into the **Island Shops** for a quality selection of fine cameras, equipment and films like Olympus, Yashica, and the most complete line of Kodak products in Nassau. They offer a large selection of gifts, French perfume, ladies & men's fashions and jewellery. Their bookstore upstairs is by far the best stocked in The Bahamas.

Mademoiselle on Bay St., with 19 shops throughout The Bahamas, is a one-stop shop with quality merchandise. A complete range of menswear, women's fashions, accessories, and a children's department featuring hand-embroidered kidswear at low prices. Estee Lauder products and fragrances with up to 20% savings. Linens at 50% of U.S. retail, watches by Omega, Tissot and Christian Dior, plus a collection of gold jewellery. An extensive souvenir department, Nassau T-shirts and locally hand-batiked Androsia fashions.

The Nassau Shop on Bay St., sells fashions for ladies and gents, perfume, jewellery and watches, including Piaget, Baume and Mercier, Concord and Movado. They also carry fine Pringle sweaters for men and women, and very reasonable wool sweaters. Great selections!

Put **Pyfrom's Department Store,** on Bay St., at the top of your shopping list this vacation. T-shirts, souvenirs galore, steel drums, native cassettes, posters, masks, fins and more are available at bargain prices.

Come in and browse around **Old Nassau** on Bay St. They've got a huge selection of gift ideas for the entire family. **Old Nassau** also carries the finest watches, jewellery, and cameras.

Bacarat Lingerie, in the International Bazaar, is stocked with an exciting array of European intimate wear. Featuring glamorous lingerie, lounge wear, exercise wear, hosiery and work wear. A visit is a must.

The Beach Hut, Nassau's swimwear specialist, situated in the Nassau International Bazaar, features an outstanding selection of brands, styles and colours for ladies and gents. There are sun dresses, beach cover-ups, Aero-Blue wear, slippers, sun visors, Masteltommy swimwear, maternity swimwear and suntan lotion – everything you need for a fantastic day at the beach.

MCM, in the Prince George Plaza, keys in to the most exciting collection from Germany, with an exclusive line of **MCM** products. Characterized by intricate detail and elegance, this extraordinary collection features handbags, luggage, clothing, watches, fragrances and fine accessories.

Leather-N-Things, in the Prince George Plaza, presents a stunning array of natural tan leather items from Colombia. You can't beat the savings – as much as 30 to 40 per cent below U.S. prices. Reputable names include Etienne Aigner, Dooney & Bourke, Yves St. Laurent and I Santi, to name a few. **Leather-N-Things** selections definitely reflect their international chic – a visit is a must.

Le Bon, in the Prince George Plaza, offers an unparalleled selection of European menswear – all marked below U.S. prices. You'll see well-known names like Hugo Boss, Giorgio Armani, Victor Hugo, Perry Ellis, Alexander Julian and much more. The shop for men who appreciate quality and elegance.

Gucci, in the Prince George Plaza. Unique and Sophisticated are key words that describe the Gucci leather goods and accessories displayed throughout the store. Also on display is an exciting selection of active wear, shoes and sandals for men and women. Gucci also brings you all the latest designs in Gucci

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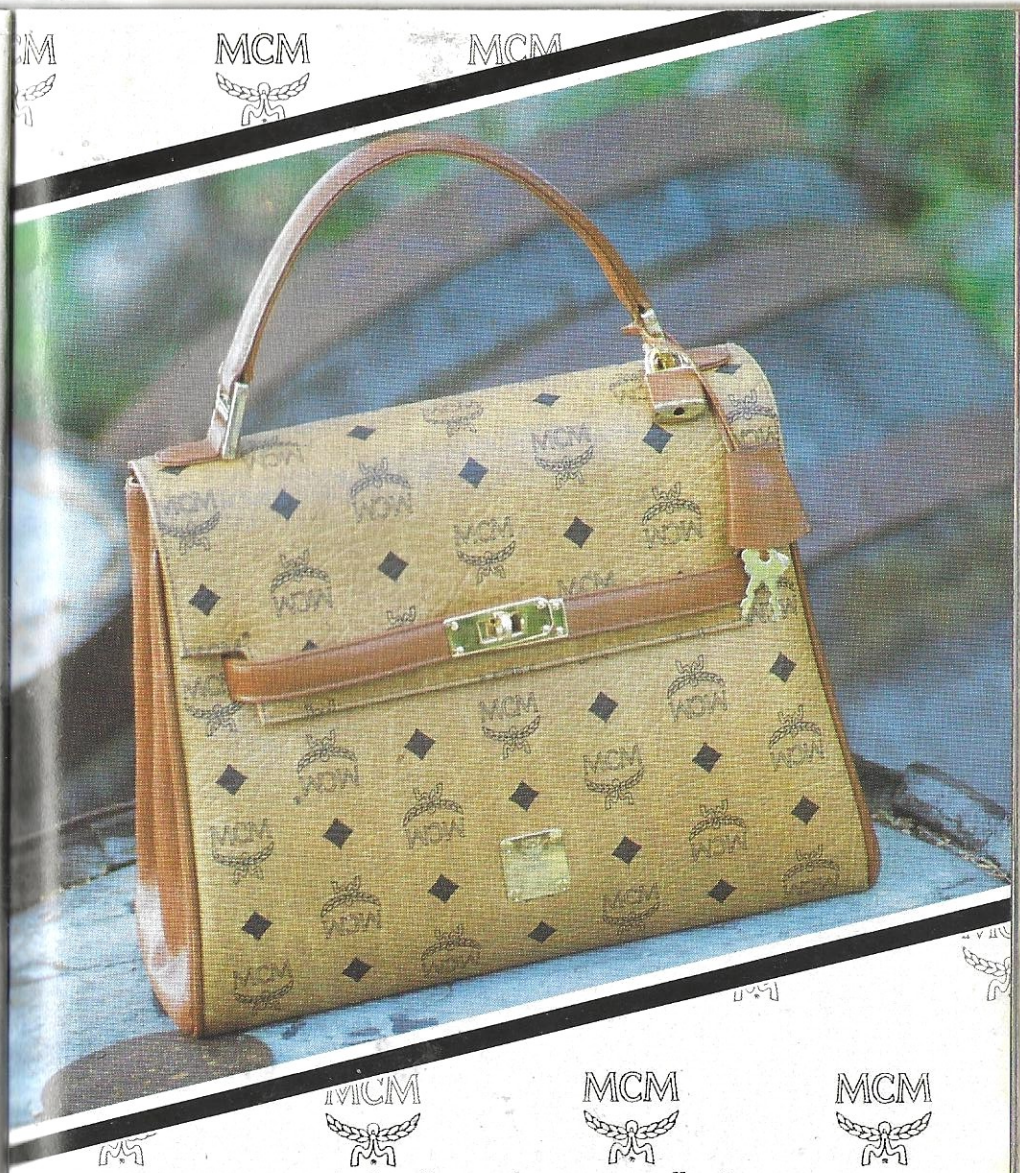

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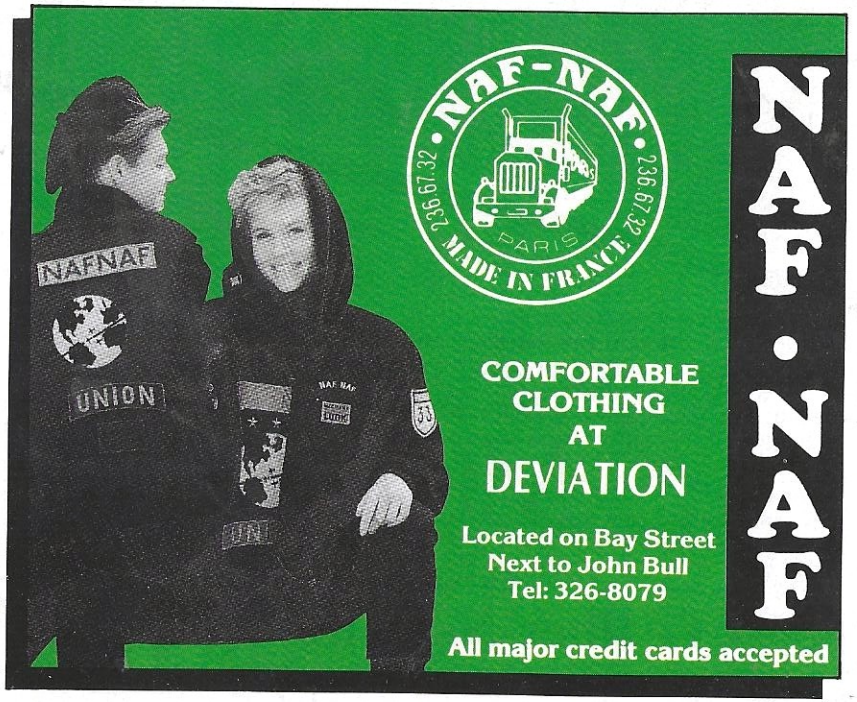
When you step into **Little Switzerland** on Bay St. (two locations) you'll be impressed with their exquisite line of emeralds displayed in rough, cut and polished stages. Also featured are fine gold jewellery and outstanding watches by Ebel, Gucci, Rado, Seiko and Tag-Heuer. They also carry the finest in china (Aynsley, Royal Doulton, Lladro, Wedgwood, etc.), crystal (Cristal de Sevres, Waterford, Cristal d'Arques, etc.), Hummel figurines, jewellery, giftware and French perfumes at prices well below those in the U.S. They fill mail-orders worldwide.

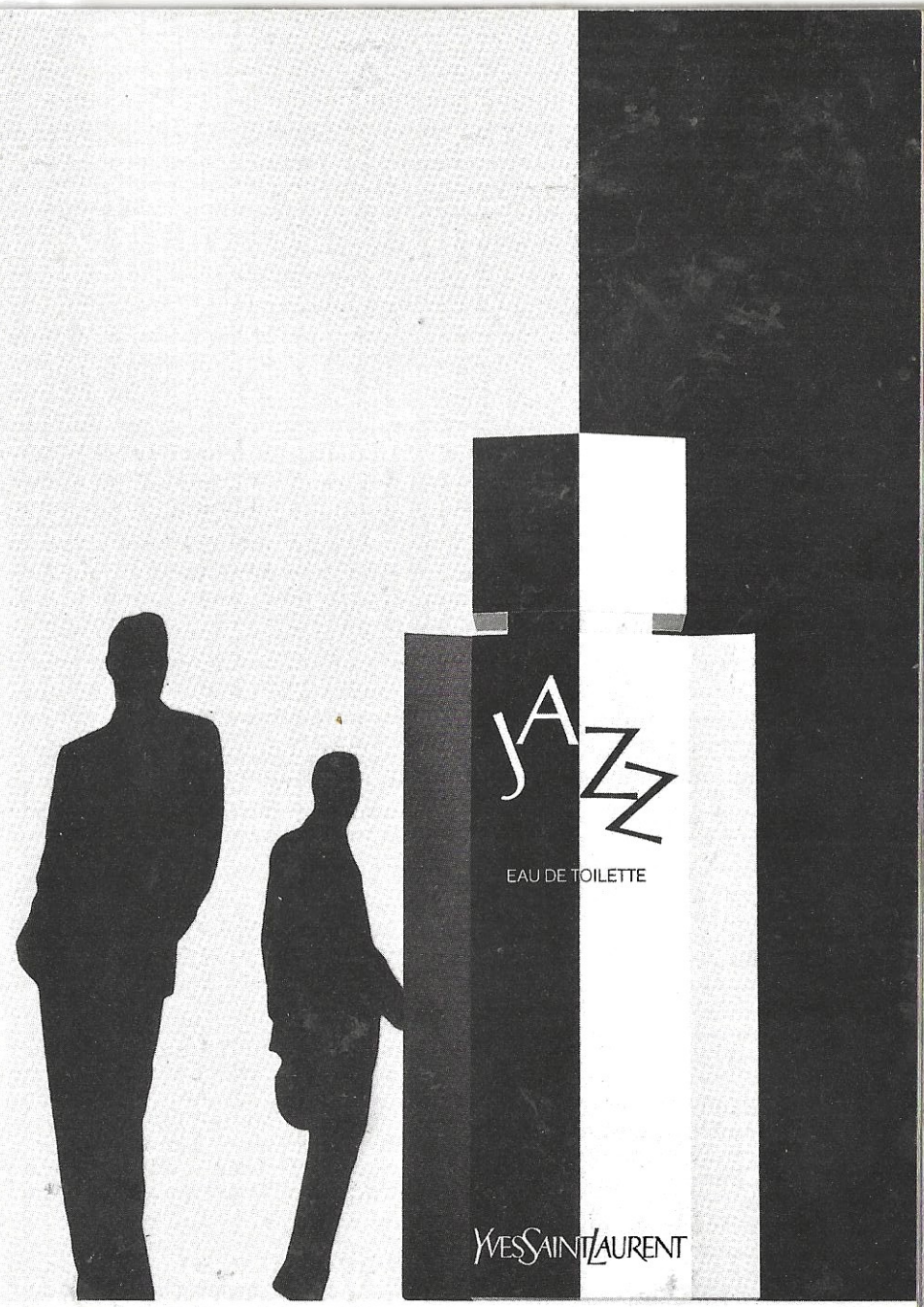
Bernard's on Bay St. is stocked with a fantastic selection of fine china and crystal. Collectors of Wedgwood will find a comprehensive selection of everything from plates to vases. A beautiful selection of crystal by Baccarat, Lalique and Schott Zwiesel is also on display. Don't leave until you've seen their Nao figurines and Ernest Borel watches. And be sure to visit their second location at 5th Terrace, Centreville.

Solomon's Mines on Woodes Rogers Walk at Rawson Square carries a good selection of gift ideas, fragrances and fine crystal and china. Their crystal and china feature impressive names like Royal Doulton, Wedgwood, Waterford and Swarovski crystal. Also on display are Lladro figurines.

For those who admire the beauty of exquisite gold jewellery and fiery gems, visit **Discount Gold Mine** on the corner of Bay St. and East St. All gold items are sold by weight at the daily gold rate. Choose diamonds, rubies and emerald stones of investment quality, or how about a designer watch?

East of Rawson Square, on Bay St., **John Bull,** the largest camera store in The Bahamas, offers you the finest cameras, lenses and flash guns. They carry Nikon, Minolta, Vivitar, Ricoh, Pentax, Olympus. Hasselblad and Fuji Film. **John Bull** stores on Paradise





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Considered by many discerning shoppers to be *the* watch shop in Nassau, **John Bull** features comprehensive lines in Rolex, Piaget, Ebel, Chopard, Cartier, Concord, Baume & Mercier, Raymond Weil, Jaz, Jean Lassale, Seiko, Pulsar, Movado, Gucci, Tag-Heuer and Swatch.

There's also an excellent variety of unusual and attractive jewellery, rings, chains, ear-rings with many items of Italian design (some very smart German creations, too).

John Bull's La Parfumerie on Bay St. provides a complete selection of perfumes and colognes, and a look at prices will reveal solid bargains. Chanel and Yves Saint Laurent Beaute' and skin care products are sold exclusively at this store. Also available is the Estee Lauder cosmetics line.

Naf-Naf, Deviation, one of Bay St.'s newest fashion stores, carries the latest in French designs for women and children. Their clothing is colourful, comfortable, affordable and ideal for casual and evening wear.

The Corner Shop, in the K. S. Moses Shopping Plaza on Bay St. carries an exclusive line of hand-dyed batik fashions in glorious colours. Everything from swimwear to 12-way dresses. Also, wall hangings, hats, T-shirts and lots of gift ideas. Visit their second location on Dowdeswell St. off Bay St.

MARLBOROUGH STREET

Ambrosine, Marlborough St., one block west of The British Colonial Beach Resort. This glamorous boutique has been known for elegance and quality for over forty years. Originals by Diane Freis can be found only at **Ambrosine,** as well as French fashions from Chacok, Serge Nancel and Anastasia, Baltrik of West Germany, Alexon and Parigi from London and young American designs from Anne Klein, Marsha sportswear, Rialto and Youngwoo. A rich array of exotic accessories as well as exquisite gifts make shopping at Ambrosine a must.

Sunshine Fashions, British Colonial Beach Resort, stocks a variety of Bahamian-made fashions in fabulous colours and designs. Also, check out their wall-hangings, T-shirts and souvenirs.

CHARLOTTE ST.

Coin of the Realm, in its historic home on Charlotte St., has an extensive collection of gold coins from The Bahamas and all over the world. They can mount almost any coin and it can be put on a 14k or 18k gold or sterling silver chain. Gold ingot and coin watches by Corum are also sold here. Fine 18k gold jewellery is a specialty, with designer jewellery from Europe featuring diamonds, pearls, emeralds and rubies. But ask to see their unique diamonds-in-the-rough, new additions to an exciting collection appealing to all tastes.

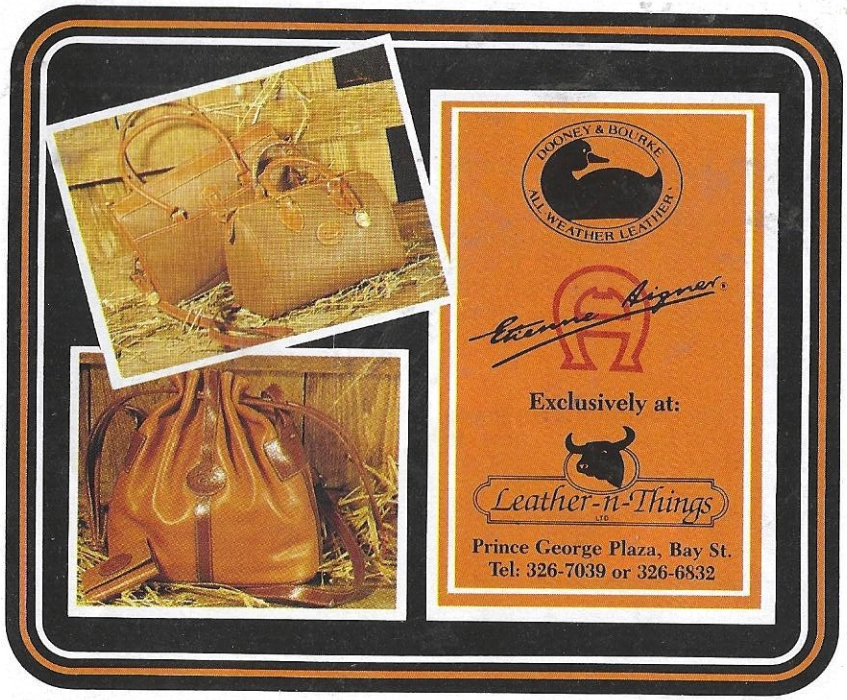
The **Brass & Leather Shops** are true specialty stores with two locations on Charlotte St. – the Bond St. of Nassau in the heart of downtown. A unique selection of gifts in leather and brass are featured in Brass & Leather I. Also featured is the Land leather luggage collection. Famous designers such as Fendi, Bottega Veneta, H.C.L. (handcrafted leather goods), Desmo, plus Mali Parmi, are found in Brass & Leather II. Together a shopper's paradise not to be missed.

Nassau's only all-Scottish shop is located on Charlotte St. At **The Scottish Shop** you will find a superb collection of tartan materials, Clan Histories, historical Collector's Dolls, pottery, jewellery and figurines (including Precious Moments) and much more. A visit is a must as there is no other store like it in Nassau!

PARLIAMENT STREET

While shopping in Nassau take time to visit the **Philatelic Bureau** of the **Bahamas Post Office.** Many of our beautiful stamps are on display and are for sale in handsome packets. Located at the top of Parliament St. on East Hill St. There is a downtown outlet right at Rawson Square, too.

Cole's of Nassau on Parliament



St., just off Bay St., displays a colourful collection of designer clothes, including dresses for day and evening wear, sportswear, separates, swimsuits and beachwear, novelty cotton pullovers and sweaters, belts and belt buckles, handbags for any occasion, hats, scarves, lingerie and hosiery; designer, costume and sterling silver jewellery, leather low-heeled shoes, wedges and sandals, photo frames, beach towels. . . Everything for the fashion-conscious woman on the go. Visit their newest store in The Mall At Marathon.

For the finest in leather goods from around the world, come to **Leather Masters** on Parliament St., or visit their second store in Carnival's Riviera Towers Mall. Here you will find the Gucci Accessory Collection, a fine line of Etienne Aigner bags, handbags by Fendi and Lanvin of Paris and quality luggage and handbags by Tula of England. Also featured are Gucci watches and Gucci perfume and an extensive collection of Colombian leather goods. Other fantastic buys include accessories from West Germany, 100 per cent silk scarves and neckties by Gucci and Lanvin.

PALMDALE

John Bull in Palmdale is stocked with great gift ideas, fine jewellery and watches, including Rolex, Cartier, Raymond Weil, Seiko, Swatch, Gucci accessories and much more. Also featured are cameras like Nikon, Vivitar, and Olympus to name a few.

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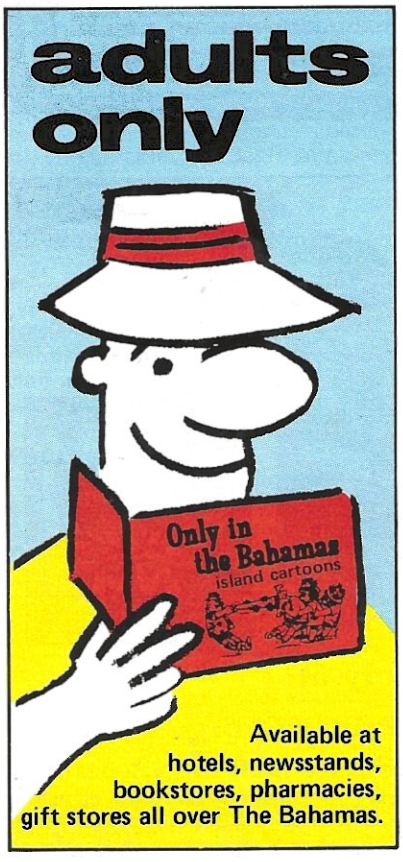

For easy-to-pack, inexpensive gifts, both educational and entertaining, buy **Tadpole Colouring Books** and the **Bahamas Handbook.** They are of excellent value, and will give years of pleasure.

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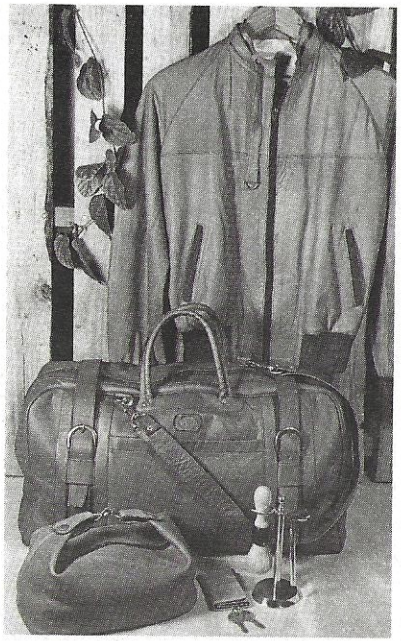

You will save, generally speaking, from 5 to 20 per cent over United States prices when you buy leather fashions and accessories in The Bahamas. There is also a savings in sales taxes – which amount to 6 per cent in Florida and 8 per cent in New York.

Why the wide savings? Brent Fox of Leather 'n Things explains:

"We have a special discount with our exclusive MCM line. You either save 15 to 20 per cent or receive a gift which represents a 20 per cent savings over U.S. prices. Savings depend on the category – 5 per cent on certain accessories, up to 20 per cent on high fashion leather from top designers."

Brent's new store in the ultra-modern Prince George Plaza, Bay Street, has "a solid base of international leather lines" and is expanding into perfumes, watches and unique gifts.

The Prince George Plaza is a major fashion plaza with quality, top-of-the-line leather buys, says Brent. "Our leather is handcrafted by craftsmen working on a bench – not mass-produced leather items."

The young store owner makes annual trips abroad to keep up with the latest in leather craft. He attends international shows and goes all out to bring his customers the best and most current styles at the best-possible prices.

The Bahamas has had a long love affair with leather goods. At the Brass & Leather Shops Ltd., for example, a 30th anniversary celebration is to take place in 1990. The shops have taken over the former Burger King property at Charlotte and Bay streets. General Manager Joan Thompson says Charlotte Street, sometimes billed as a Little Bond Street, will add a touch of Via Condotti to its general air of Old World charm.

'Start With The Cow'

Joan, who checks out the latest fashions during her twice-a-

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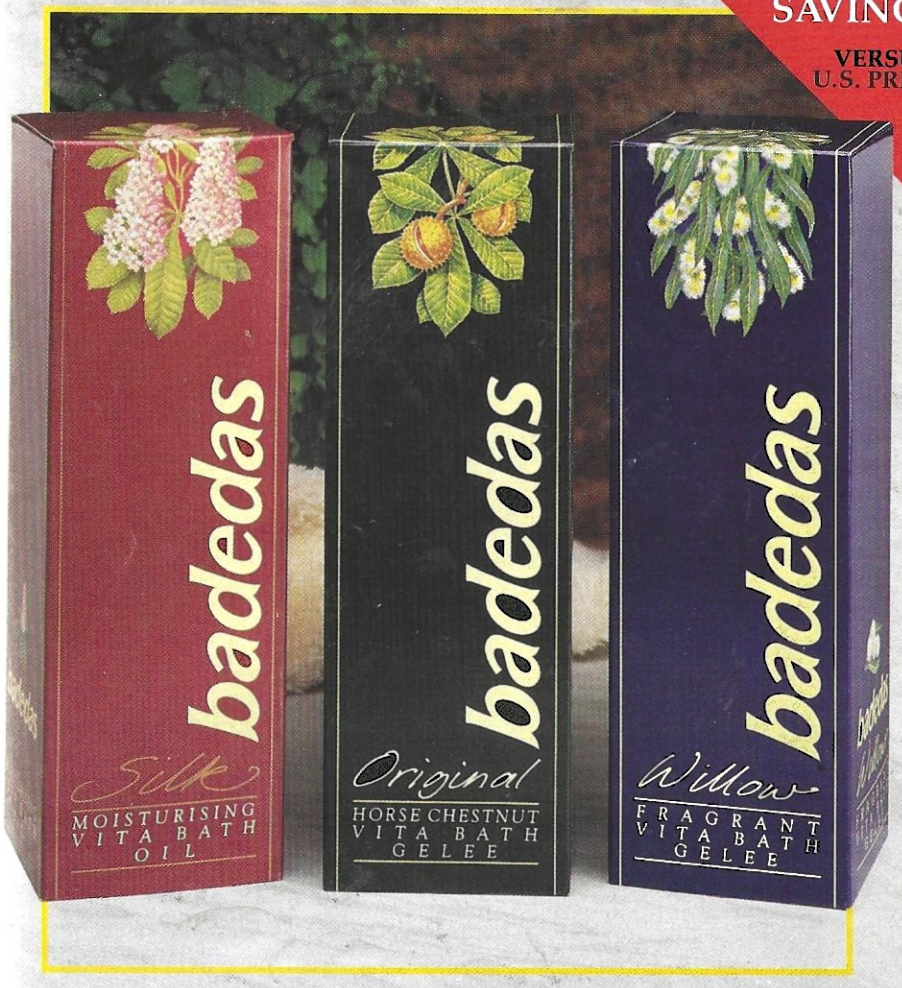

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When deciding what to wear – anywhere – think of the image you wish to portray, or a phrase you want others to use when describing you. Then choose clothing that speaks those words unequivocally. Select clothing that gives you an edge and looks up-to-date.

What to Wear

If you plan to attend a company dinner, for example, wear an outfit that is work-related but festive. For women, a "not-everyday" jacket is ideal for business, yet it plays up a celebratory mood. If you're a recent college graduate, you probably don't have a business wardrobe yet. For interviews, go for conservative colours and the idea of a suit. Most interviewers don't expect to see you in a very expensive suit – but they do expect clothes and grooming that imply respect and reflect common sense.

For men moving up the corporate ladder, the trick is to dress not only with authority but with personal style. A sure win is a charcoal grey, natural-shouldered suit with classic notched lapels, button-down shirt and muted tie. Ideal for casual wear are clothes that are very co-ordinated and strong on texture, yet have the essence of comfort.

The Power of Colour

Colours play a major role in enhancing your overall appearance. An expensive, well-made outfit will not flatter you if it's not the right colour. The first step in identifying your "true" colours is to analyse your skin tone and the colours of your hair and eyes. Once you know your own natural colouration and what colours work best for you, shopping becomes easier, your wardrobe becomes more coordinated and dressing takes less time.

Generally, colour compatibility works on the principle that you choose colours that don't compete with your natural colouration. Individuals who are very pale, for example, should refrain from pale colours of pinks and other pastels, as this tends to create a washed-out look. However, there is no fixed rule since colours come in so many different shades. Take time to experiment – if pastel pink does nothing for you, try a darker shade of pink.

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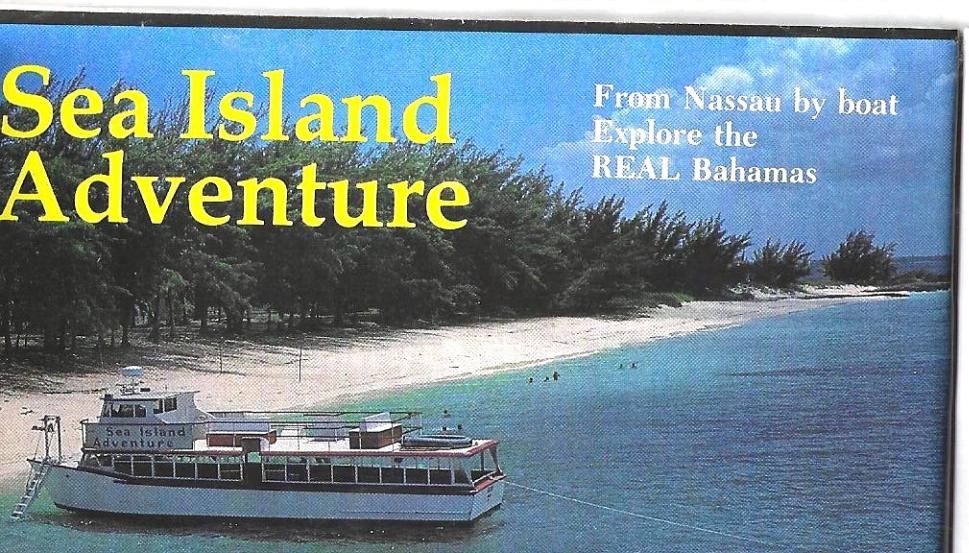

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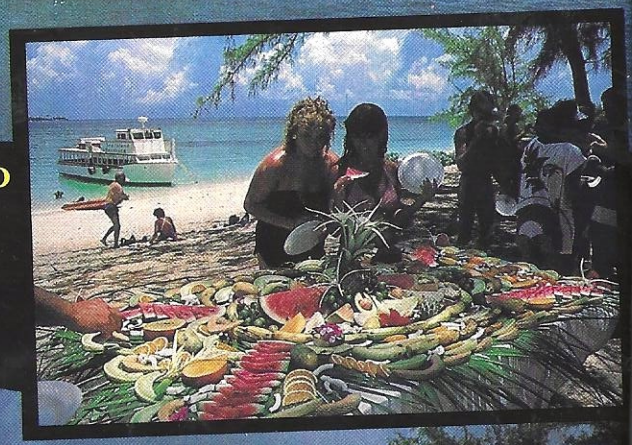

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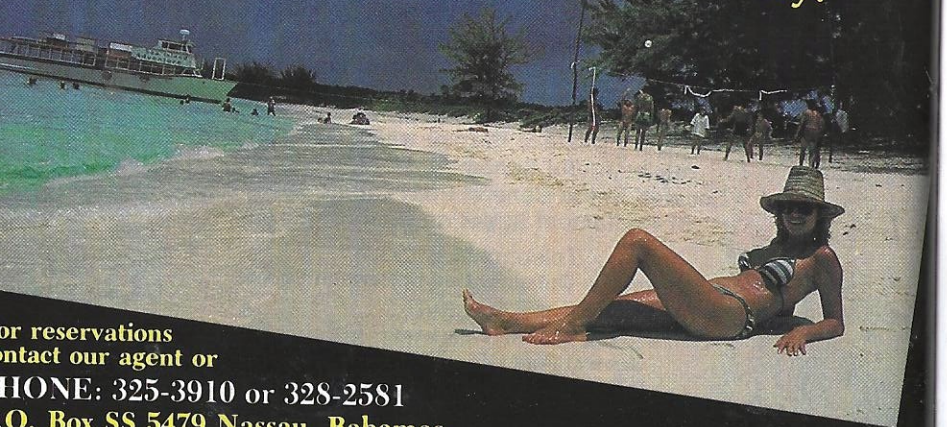

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Bay Street: Where the Action Is

From July through December 26 – Bay Street "comes alive" with strictly Bahamian events the visitor can expect to see only in The Bahamas.

Let's start with Goombay Summer.

That's when Nassau's main thoroughfare becomes a colourful street fair from 6 to 9 p.m. every Wednesday beginning on June 7 and ending on August 30.

Goombay Summer is the best time to sample "all we tings" in the food line. During the weekly Goombay events, downtown Nassau is lined with food stalls offering everything from "flied flitters" to what some call "Bahamian caviar", otherwise known as peas and rice.

Actually, the peas are beans. That means they are a proper source of protein and as nutritious as they are delicious. As for the flied flitters – that's a Bahamian expression for fried fritters, meaning conch fritters.

Speaking of conch (pronounced konk), there are many ways of preparing this delectable mollusc which is the national dish of The Bahamas. Our Key West cousins, who call themselves Conchs, claim to have 27 ways of preparing the white 'meat' from our pretty, pink shells.

Then there is guava duff, baked crab and Bahama-fried chicken among "we tings" which are considered to be Island soul food.

You can savour the flavour of Bahamian cuisine while listening to the tuneful performances of the Royal Bahamas Police Force Band. The band is on tap for Goombay Summer whenever it is not called away for State Occasions or "command performances" overseas.

The Royal Bahamas Police Force Band is one of the wonders of the Caribbean Basin. Its uniforms, including jaguar trimmings, make for exciting photo opportunities. Visitors can also see the band during a Changing of the Guard ceremony at Government House.

The guard ceremony is patterned after the Changing of the Guard at Buckingham Palace and is staged on alternate Saturdays. Check with your hotel concierge to make sure the band is in town. The group is so popular that it may be summoned elsewhere, and thus will not be available for its Government House performances.

Perhaps the most Bahamian of "we tings" is the Bay Street festival known as Junkanoo. It is celebrated twice a year – beginning at 3 a.m. December 26 and again at about the same time January 1.

Junkanoo is part Carnival in Rio, a touch Mardi Gras and a *soupcon* of Mummer's Parade. Bahamians spend weeks, some spend months, making elaborate Junkanoo costumes. They are discarded after prize winners are selected as the grand finale to Junkanoo.

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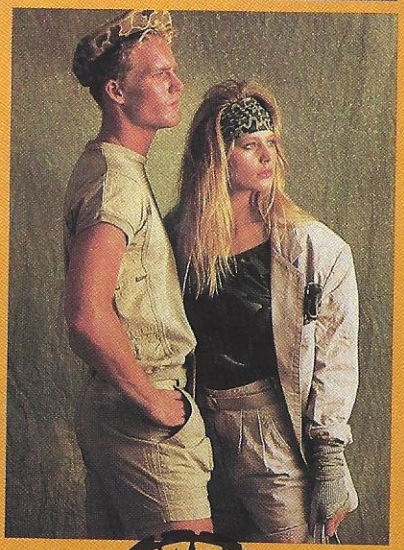

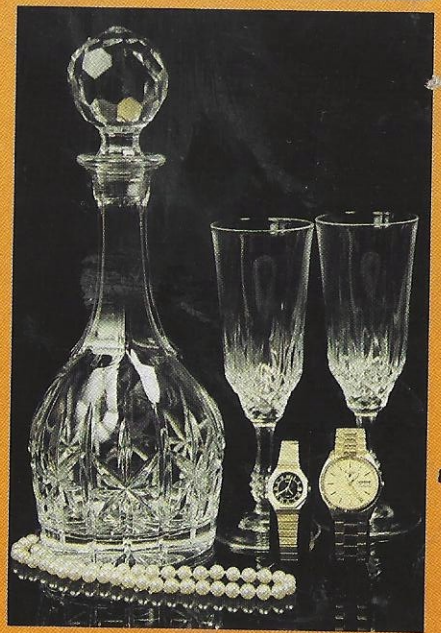

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year trips to Italy, brings out another point in why you should buy leathers in The Bahamas. She says one must "start with the cow itself". In Italy and Bavaria, for example, there is a "long tradition of animals being part of the home". In the U.S., however, cattle are not domesticated in the European sense. They graze on the open range and are subject to scratches and provide leather which is adequate but not usually up to "the superb and quite spectacular" quality of Old World leathers.

Says Joan, "You use different techniques for the sewing and crafting of silk, cotton or velvet. It's the same with leather. A great deal of skill is required in order to produce soft, pliable, quality leather."

She cites the Italians for their "centuries of tradition" and "superb quality" of their cattle.

"It's in their blood," Joan says of Italians, in connection with the fine *alta moda* lines of Italian firms such as Fendi and Gucci. Fendi, she says, features leather-trimmed canvas bags and accessories, which are one of the best of all bargains available in The Bahamas today.

She does not recommend the non-leather bags so often seen in the United States. She says non-leather or inferior leather "destroys the image... it's not pliable, has no depth or touch."

Besides, why should you settle for second best when "the real McCoy" is available in The Bahamas at bargain prices?

Or, as a Leather Masters clerk pointed out: "We are a tourist destination dependent on tourism for our living. We have to give good prices and service in order to keep the tourists coming into The Bahamas."

Leather Masters imports designer handbags direct from Italy and France. There is no middleman as in Florida, and this represents a considerable savings which is passed on to the store's clients.

The discount at Leather Masters ranges from 15 to 20 per cent less than U.S. prices. This does not include the savings resulting from not having to pay U.S. sales taxes of up to 8 per cent. Buyers representing Leather Masters make twice-a-year trips to the European source of their merchandise. This one-on-one relationship helps keep prices competitive, if not downright inexpensive.

RECOMMENDED STORES:
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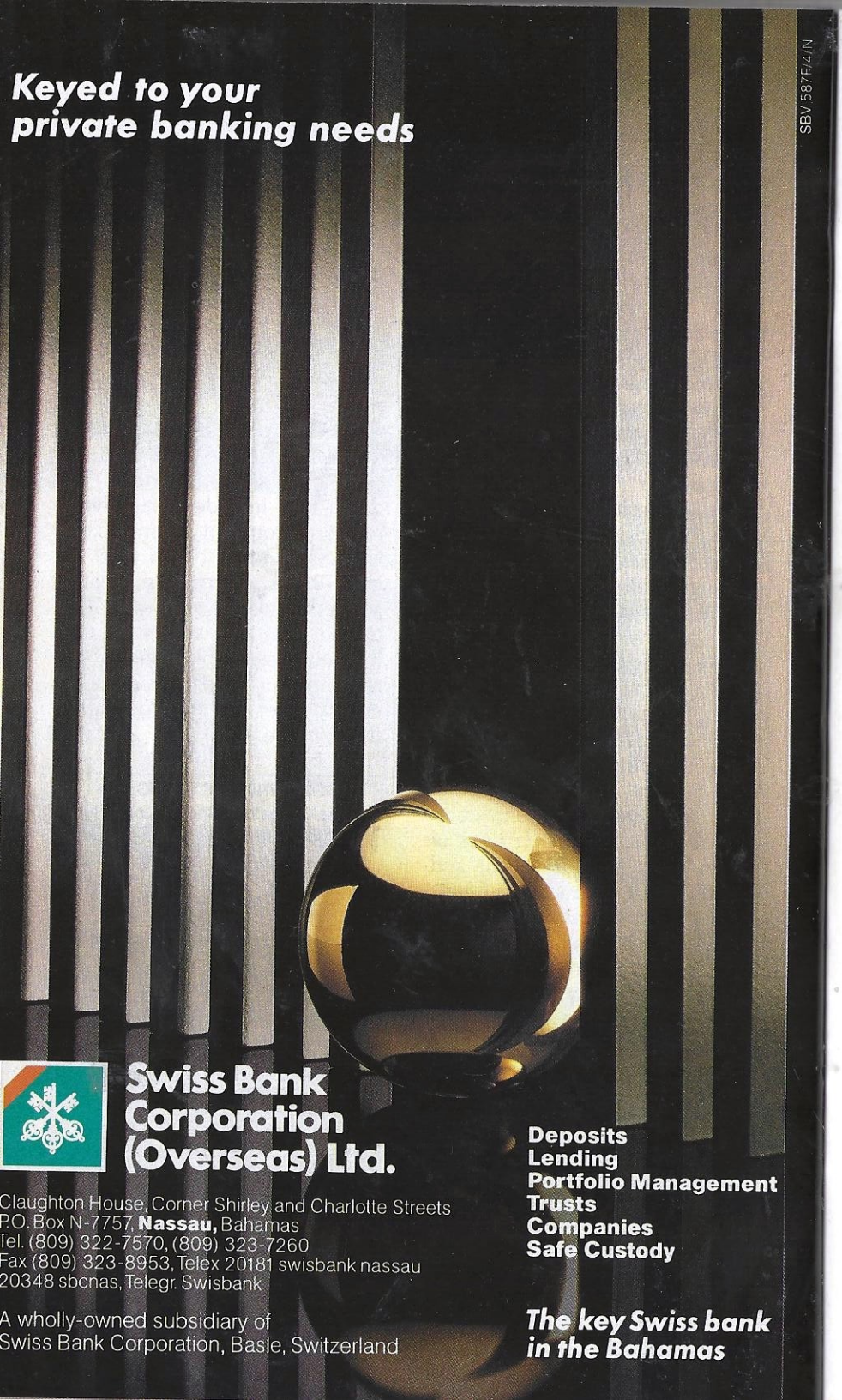

5 Centuries Of 'Banking In The Bahamas'

You might say international business in The Bahamas goes back nearly 500 years. After all, the "cruise" of Christopher Columbus, who landed in The Bahamas in 1492, was a trip financed by risk capital. At least part of the funding was raised according to legend, by the hocking of jewels.

A story has it that Queen Isabella pawned a balas necklace in order to raise money to send Columbus to the riches of the Far East via a new route – going east instead of west. A balas incidentally, is a rose-coloured spinel ruby orginating from a section of ancient Persia which was named for its rose-red gems, according to the *Concise Oxford Dictionary.*

Columbus failed to return with any appreciable wealth from the ancient Bahamas: Perhaps his royal benefactor was unable to redeem her jewels. Today, the Queen of Spain would have no problem in finding financing in The Bahamas. She could keep her gems and tiaras.

Matter of fact, according to the 1989 edition of the *Bahamas Handbook,* Bahama banks have on their books at least $160 billion. That's enough to pay off the combined Mexican and Brazilian foreign debt load.

The generic term for all that cash is *Eurodollar,* meaning United States dollars which are traded on the international market outside the U.S. mainland. The term is Eurodollar despite the fact that these dollars are used throughout the world and not just in Europe and the U.S.

International business in The Bahamas is patterned largely after the enormously successful Swiss method. Bank secrecy – or confidentiality – is a regular Bahamian practice of long years' standing. So are Swiss-styled numbered accounts.

Having billions of dollars on tap is a major plus to investors seeking a viable economy in which to seek their fortune. The Bahamas also is blessed with cash made available by such institutions as the Inter-American Development Bank.

In March of 1989, the Bahamian chief executive, Prime Minister the Rt. Hon. Sir Lynden Pindling attended the 13th annual meeting of the IDB. While at the meeting, held in Amsterdam, The Netherlands, Sir Lynden signed a $6 million loan earmarked for The Bahamas Development Bank.

Loans from the IDB are used for the on-going electrification programme, health and hospital improvements and the stimulation of business throughout The Bahamas. And if someone could find that balas necklace, it would be nice to return it to the present Queen of Spain, don't you think?

Don't Go Home.

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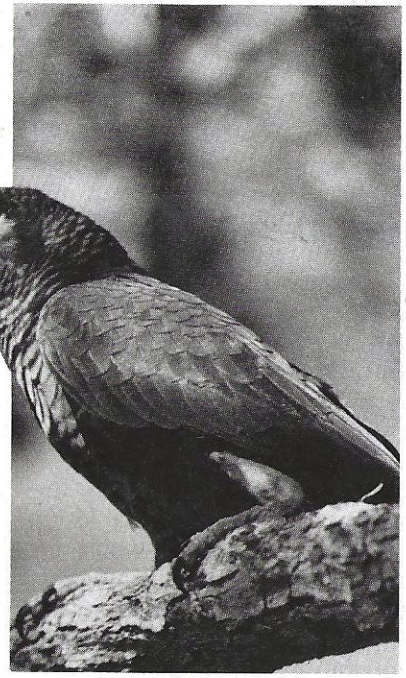


You might have noticed a giant sculptural presentation of the conch (pronounced KONK), a succulent Bahamian shell fish, at the entrance of the Nassau International Airport. From your hotel window you probably have already watched a flock of sea-gulls engage in a graceful flying exhibition, alighting on the beach occasionally among bathers as if to say: "Hello, nice to have you here."

And before you're homeward bound, you will have aimed your camera at the roadside sculpture of the national bird of The Bahamas, the flamingo.

At the island of Inagua in the southernmost part of the Bahama Island chain, flamingos live in their natural habitat, more than 50.000. In New Providence, the beautiful pink birds can be seen daily at the Ardastra Gardens, where they have been trained to perform a marching act, or at Coral World on Silver Cay.

Founded in 1959, in order to preserve our national heritage, the non-profit Bahamas National Trust is entrusted with the management of more than 238,000 acres of national parks and reserves. It has become the "watchdog" of wildlife in The Bahamas. Concerned also with the preservation of historic buildings, the Trust, according to Lynn Holowesko, president, is undertaking measures for "Bahamians and visitors alike to enjoy and appreciate the vast beauty of our world-renowned natural heritage."

Among BNT "wards" are the flamingos of Inagua, the white crown pigeons that proliferate in the wilds of Andros in the fall, the colourful and almost extinct Bahama parrot in the thick forest areas of the Abacos or the countless fish and other marine life at

the Exuma National Park in the Exuma Cays.

Some 2,000 persons make up the BNT membership list, headed by Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh and husband of Queen Elizabeth II, as patron. In the spring of 1989 Prince Philip flew to Nassau on a special trip to help the BNT celebrate its 30th anniversary. A black-tie dinner at Nassau's posh Lyford Cay Club, and an art exhibition of oil and water colour paintings of well-known Bahamian birds by renowned British wildlife artist Spencer Hodge, topped the events of the two-day royal visit.

Hodge, whose paintings are part of permanent exhibitions at the Trion Gallery, London; the Monaco Fine Arts, Monte Carlo, and the Zantman Gallery, Carmel-by-the Sea, California, spent considerable time in India, where he painted rare birds for the World Wildlife Fund.

The exhibition staged at Le Meridien Royal Bahamian Hotel brought together a collection of twenty-three oils. Prices ranged from $3,000 to $13,000 for a 39 by 47-inch painting of three Bahama parrots. Hodge spent a year visiting the Inagua National Park, home of the flamingo, and Abaco, said to be one of the few Bahamian islands where the rare Bahama parrot nests on a regular schedule.

Joking about his experience at Abaco, Hodge said, "We were even granted the rare opportunity to be in the same tree, within 30 feet, of at least two dozen Bahama parrots."

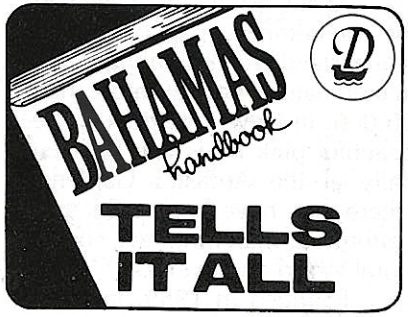
Other Bahamian birds featured included spoonbills, the pelican, the West Indian tree duck, the black and white warbler, the osprey and the egret. A popular souvenir item during the week-long exhibition seen by hundreds of visitors, was an autographed poster of Hodge's oil painting, "Three Bahama Parrots".

The Retreat

Headquarters for the BNT is The Retreat, with its lush acreage of rare plants, palms and orchids. The Retreat was once the home of Arthur and Margaret Langlois, who travelled through the tropics and collected seeds and plants. Their efforts resulted in The Retreat having one of the largest collections of palms in the world.

When Prince Philip visited Nassau in 1985, he officially opened The Retreat, where visitors are welcome and admission is free. In lieu of an admission charge, a donation is appreciated. Visiting hours are from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The Prince, who first visited The Bahamas in 1959, commended the BNT for making Bahamians and visitors aware of the "wonderful" heritage The Bahamas has. "Wildlife" he said, "is a very important part of your national heritage."



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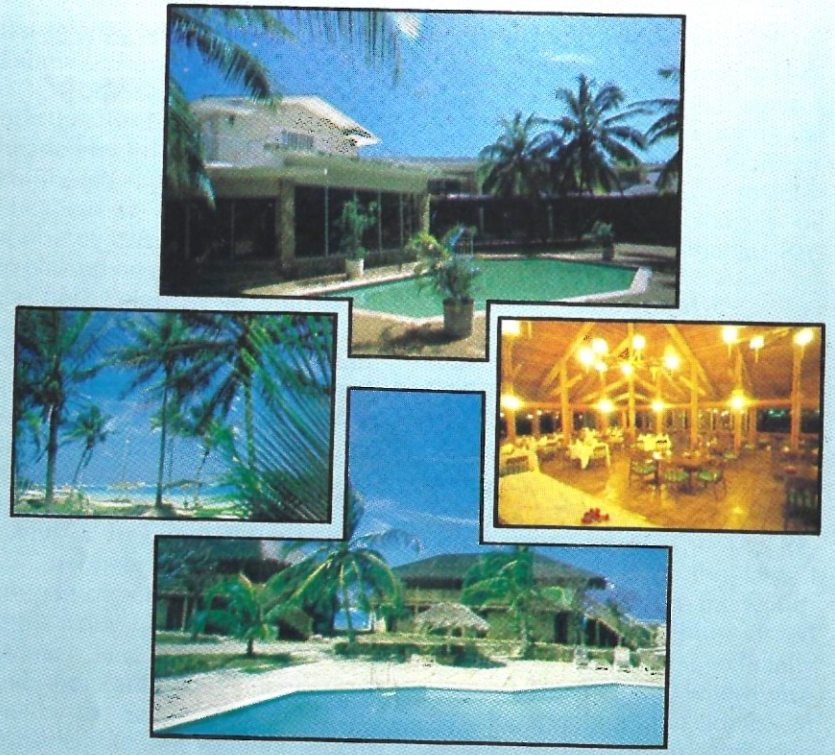

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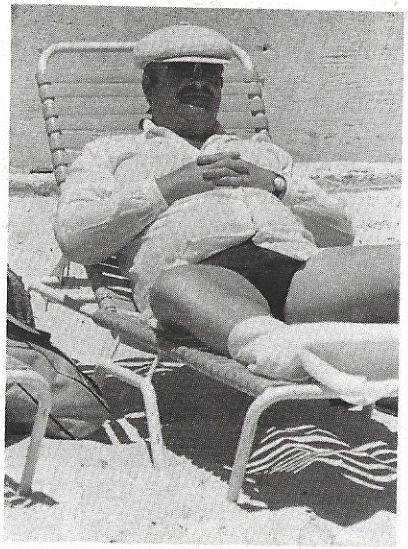

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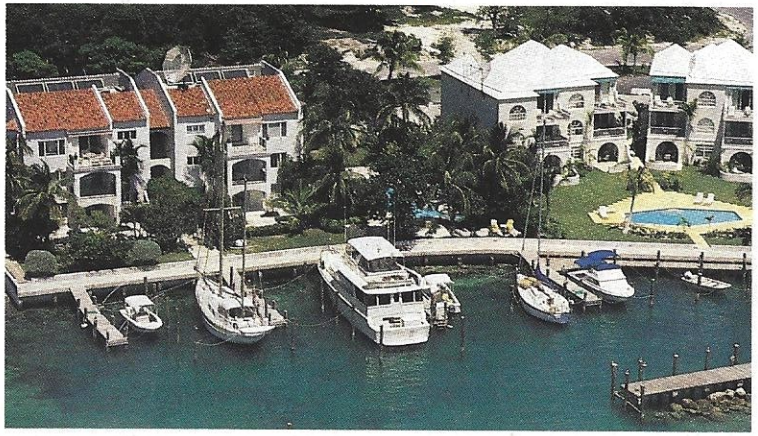

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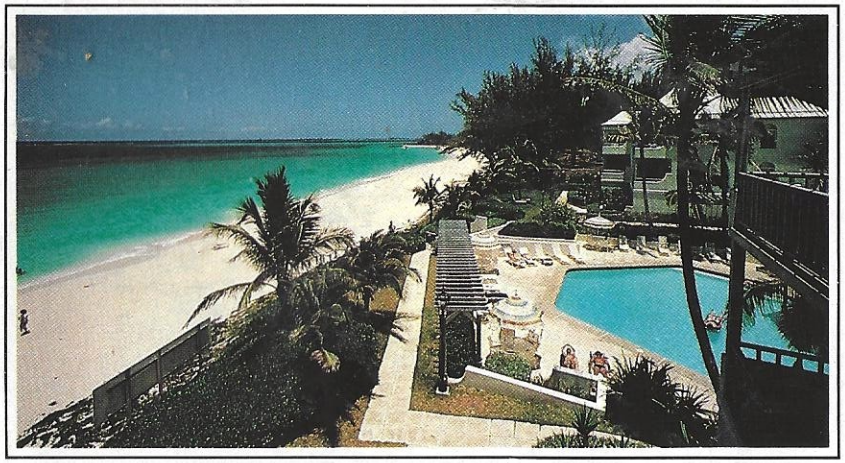

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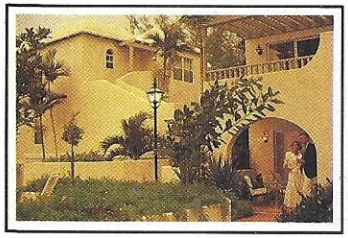

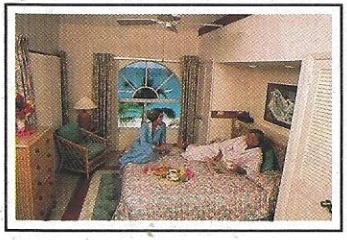

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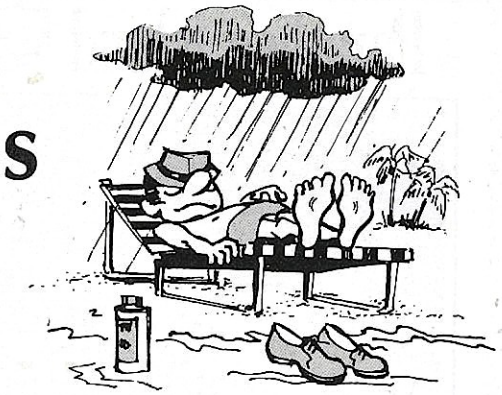

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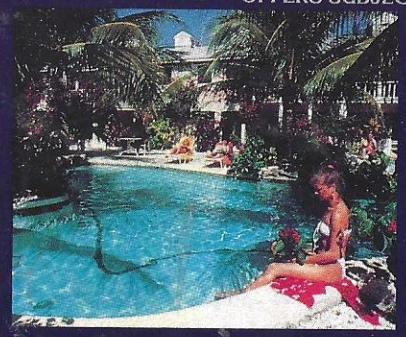

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Surreys may be engaged for tours at Rawson Square. Approximate cost: $8-$10 for 45 minutes, two passengers. Rates for additional passengers and extended trips should be negotiated with the driver beforehand. Maximum passengers: 2 adults and 1 child or 3 small adults. Horses are rested between 1 to 3 p.m. during May – October, and between 1 to 2 p.m. during November – April.

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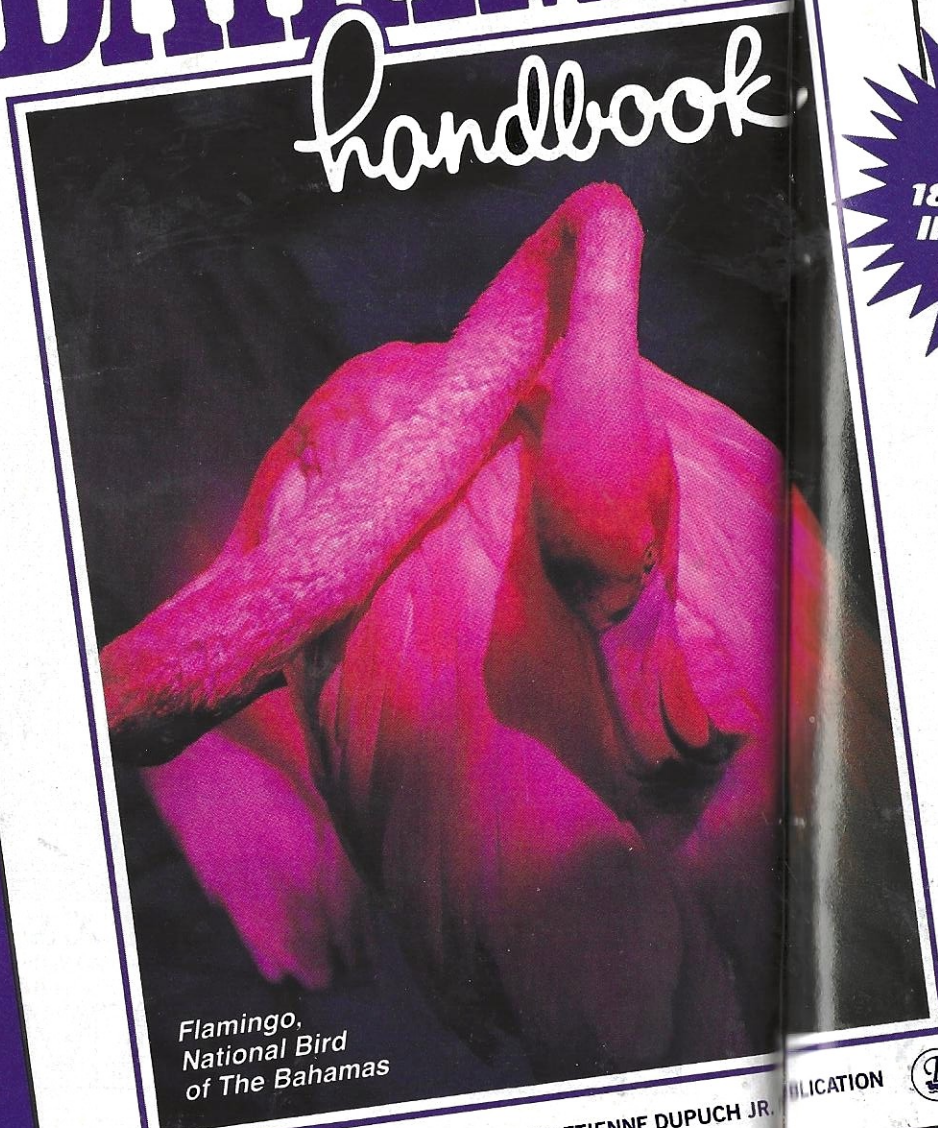

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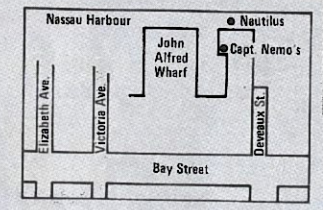

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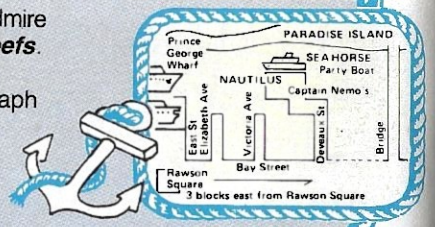

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Napkin holders are a "must" for formal dining. They can be purchased in a variety of colours, styles and textures. Usually, manufacturers make napkin rings to match their dinnerware pattern. Another alternative is to tie satin ribbons around rolled napkins.

Wine bottle holders, crystal trays, place card holders and silver finger bowls are also ideal for formal dining. Most of these are optional for casual dining. Remember that your accessories should reflect the same elegance and top-quality craftsmanship as your china and crystal.

Personal Flair

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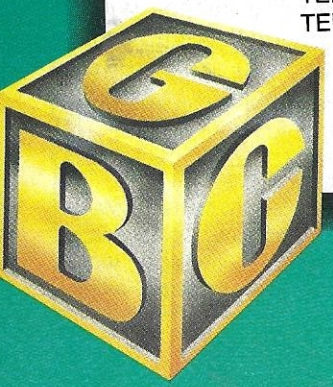

Bahama Mama Goes 'From Bad to Verse'

The popular Goombay tune, *Bahama Mama,* literally sings the praises of our Bahama-made liquors and assorted other strong drinks. But the song also calls for moderation – a good idea indeed.

The final verses of Bahama Mama puts her on a diet after overdoing the consumption of alcoholic beverages. You might say she went "from bad to verse".

The song opens with Mama not wanting gin. It makes her sin. She notes that whisky makes her frisky and decides all she wants is "the nasty brandy handy".

Then, one day, "mama get a pain in her chest... she on a diet now, all she want is lettuce and tomato now".

If Mama only knew. She could have avoided over-indulgence by tempering her drinking with such recipes as the Mock Mimosa and/or the Virgin Bellini.

Here's how to mix a refreshment for a Bahama Mama on the wagon:

MOCK MIMOSA

Half fill a tumbler with dry ginger ale, the drier the better. Top it off with orange juice. Mix and serve. The ginger ale provides the bubbles and the slightly "boozy" taste of a real Mimosa – which is half champagne half orange juice. The Vitamin C in the orange juice makes the Mock Mimosa – or the real Mimosa McCoy – a healthy drink.

VIRGIN BELLINI

As you no doubt know, a "real" Bellini is half peach juice and half champagne. Substitute dry ginger ale for the champagne and you have a Bellini flavour without the presence of alcohol. For a Bahama Mama not quite on the wagon, here's how to make a:

DEFUSED BAHAMIAN DELIGHT

A Bahamian Delight is comprised of a glass of grapefruit juice with a jigger of Campari, the Italian liqueur made mostly from a Bahamian ingredient, namely cascarilla bark. Make it a half-ounce of Campari per glass and you splash your alcoholic intake. Take your "savings" home so that your friends can savour a Bahamian Delight all the way.

PINA COLADA

On the other hand, what's a trip to the tropics without a taste of the favourite tropical beverage – rum? There are so many rum drinks that space does not suffice for even a small selection of rum recipes. Nonetheless, here's how to make a pina colada, an all-time tropical favourite. *Pina*, by the way, is Spanish for *pineapple,* so that explains the first-listed ingredient:

3 oz. of pineapple juice
1 oz. of white rum
1 oz. coconut rum (Incidentally, buy your coconut rum here; it is not readily available stateside).
Add cream if desired.

Pour all ingredients in a blender – along with shaved ice. Blend and serve, garnished with a cherry and a pineapple wedge.

LIQUOR BARGAINS in The Bahamas

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PRICES PER 1 LITRE (33oz.) APPROX.

	comparative prices NASSAU	U.S.
BACARDI rum. THE MIXABLE ONE	5.45	12.94
Nassau Royale Liqueur	10.95	19.92
Dewar's WHITE LABEL SCOTCH	15.10	23.79
Canadian Club	13.50	19.26
Canadian Club Classic AGED 12 YEARS	15.95	21.00
COURVOISIER VS	25.95	32.89
COURVOISIER XO	69.95	79.46
Ballantine's EXCELLENCE WITHOUT EXTRAVAGANCE	15.10	23.79
KAHLÚA	14.95	23.74
Tanqueray Gin	14.35	20.59
AMARETTO di SARONNO	18.35	23.09

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	comparative prices NASSAU	U.S.
Scotch J&B Scotch	15.10	23.79
ABSOLUT VODKA	10.95	21.58
Stolichnaya	10.95	21.58
JACK DANIEL'S	14.95	19.43
SOUTHERN COMFORT	13.95	14.93
Chivas Regal	24.00	33.80
SEAGRAM'S Crown Royal	20.95	26.97
Grand Marnier	23.95	29.96
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CAMPARI	13.00	18.95

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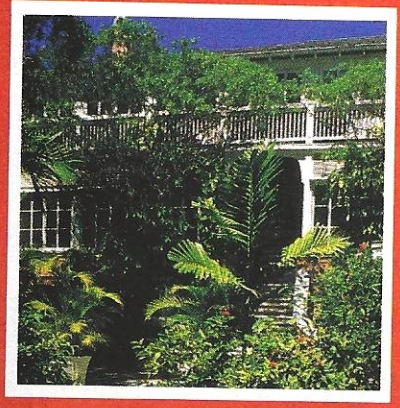

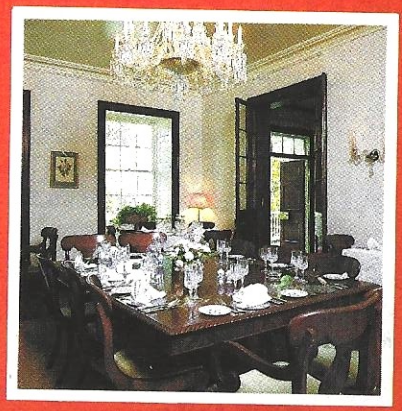

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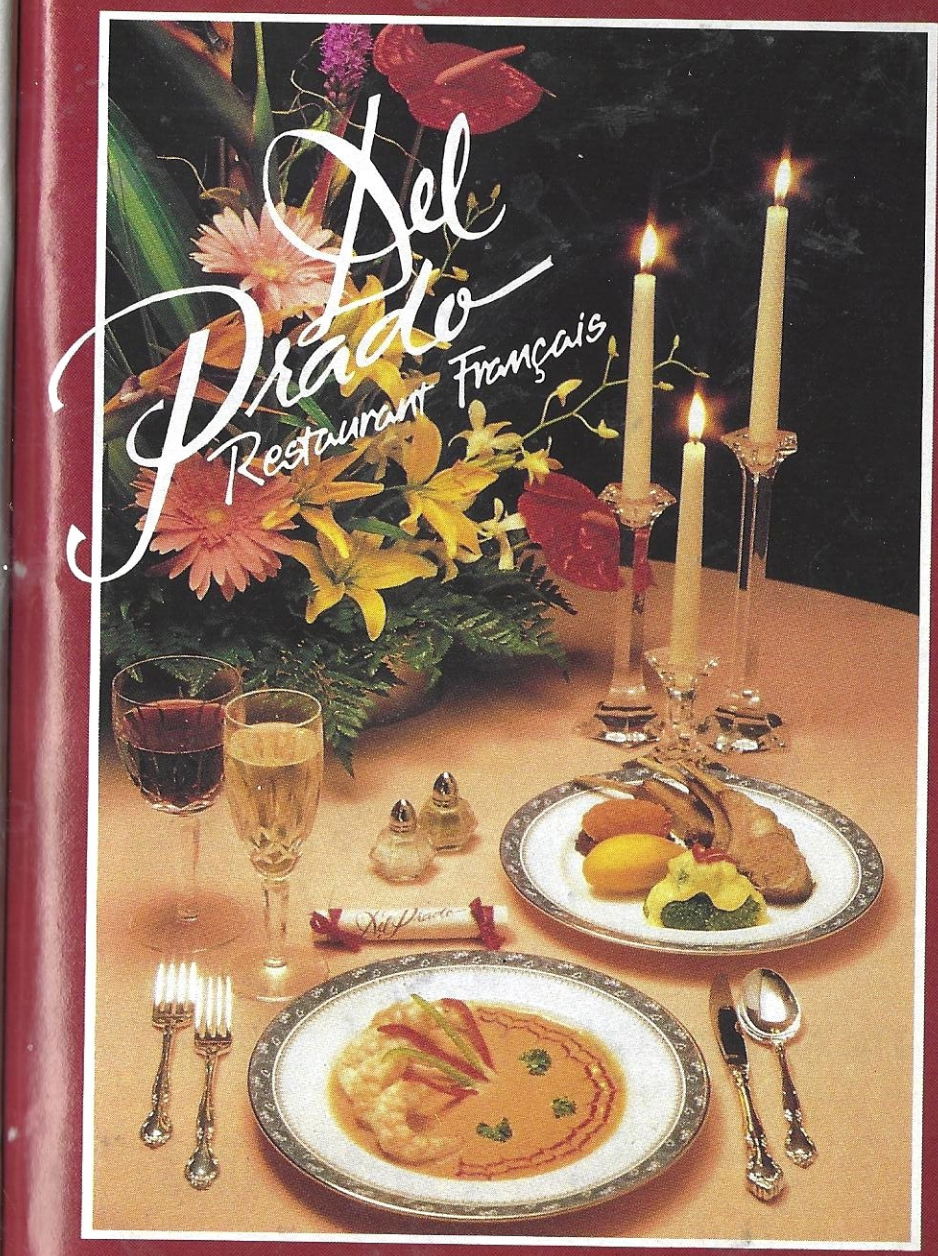

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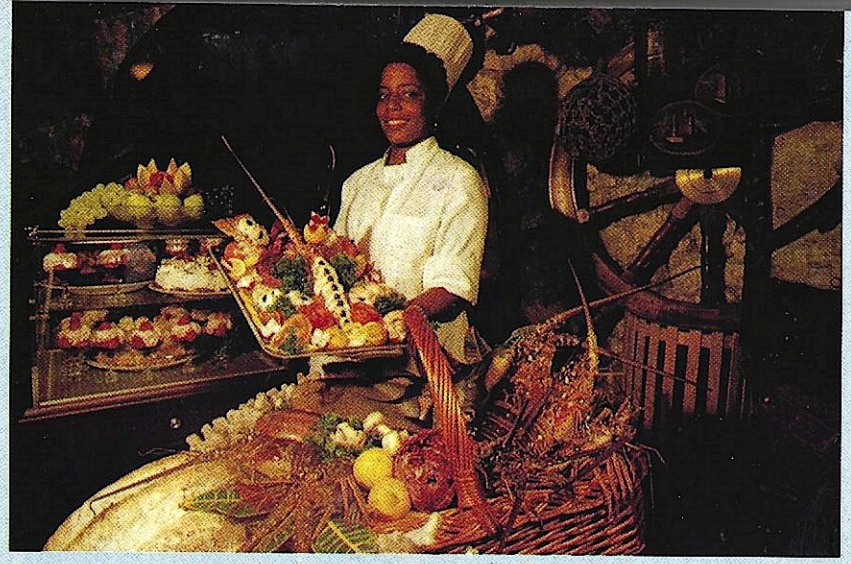

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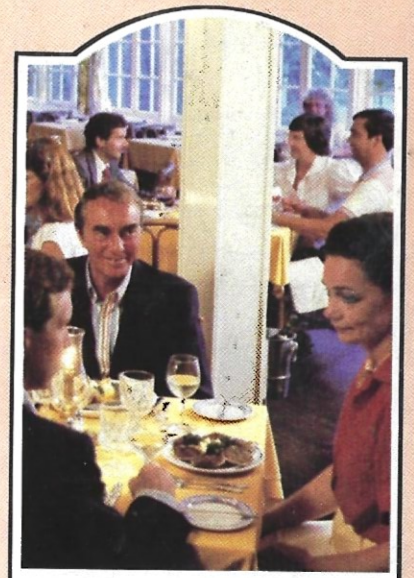

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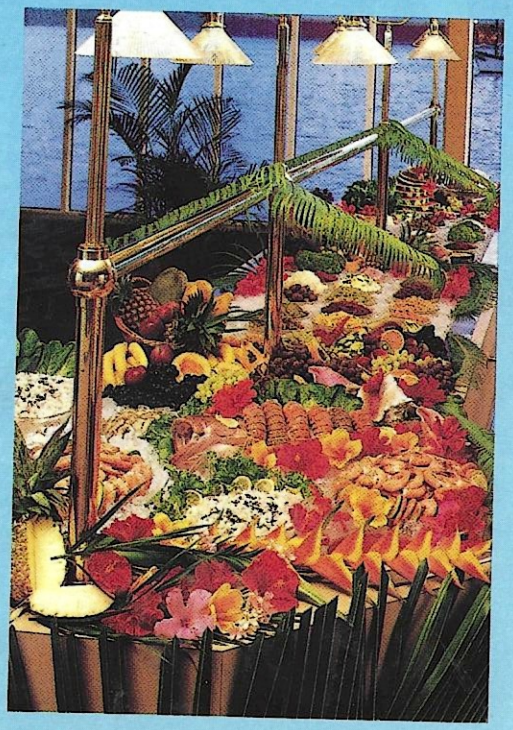

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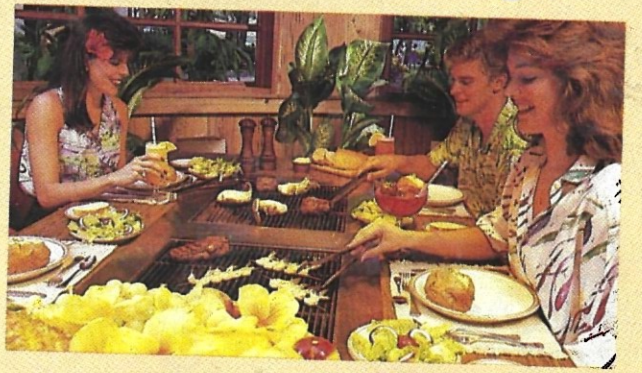

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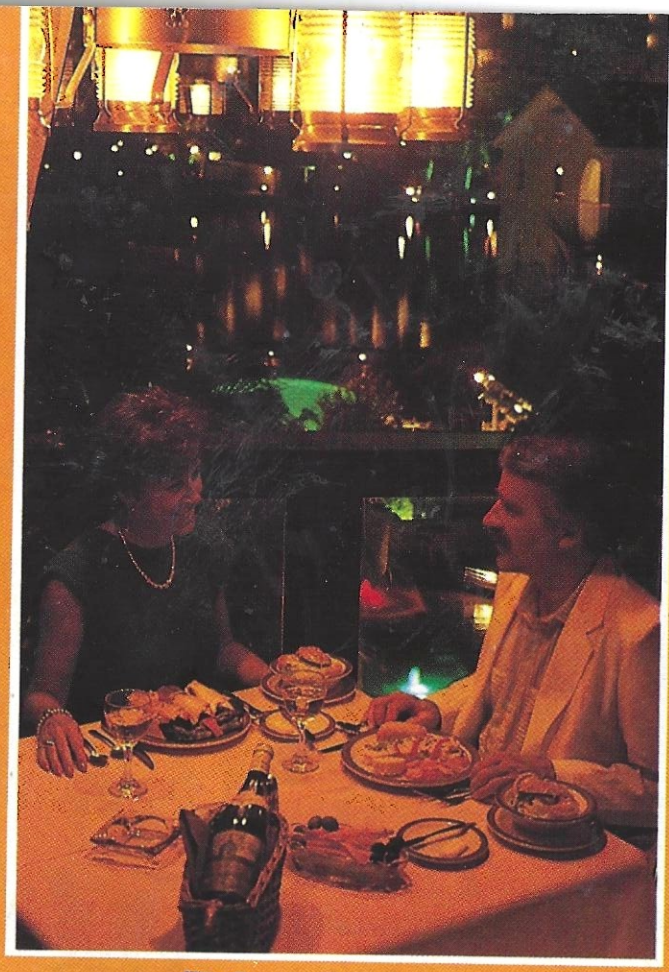

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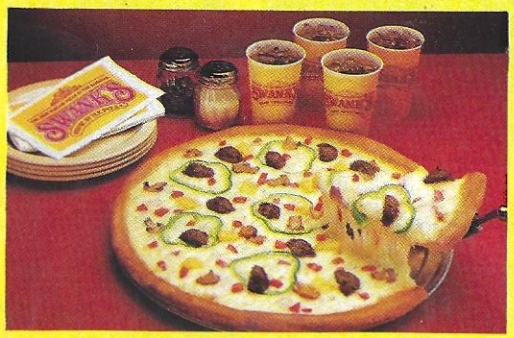

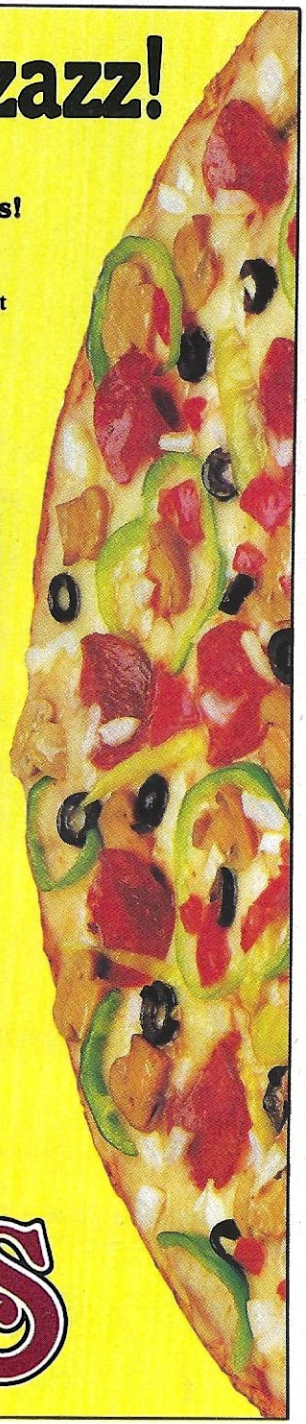

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The Dive Set
Goes Hollywood

For divers in The Bahamas, the best advice is: dive in, the water's great, and don't forget to smile, you might be on camera. Just as major films have been produced under Bahama seas, so are more and more divers posing for private "sea-fari" filmings.

One of the most dramatic of diving "film sets" is the Tongue of the Ocean, a veritable sunken Grand Canyon. The TOTO, so named because of its tongue-like formation, is 75 miles long and 6,000 feet deep. Reefs, movie sites and wrecks abound on adjoining ledges of TOTO walls – massive cliffs that start at 30 feet and plunge as much as 6,000 feet straight down!

Among the most often visited of New Providence-area film sites is the James Bond Wreck, sunk for *Never Say Never Again*. The elkhorn coral at Goulding Cay made a spectacular background for scenes in *Splash,* another of the many hit films shot partly or mostly in The Bahamas. *Jaws: The Revenge* is among these films.

The most-often-photographed underwater star in The Bahamas is Gavin McKinney, born and reared here. McKinney worked four months setting up a *For Your Eyes Only* scene which was on screen for only 8 minutes. His work on the underwater set for *Splash* was equally strenuous. On that film, he says it took five hours a day to get actress Darryl Hannah "into her mermaid's tail".

McKinney first went before the underwater cameras 15 years

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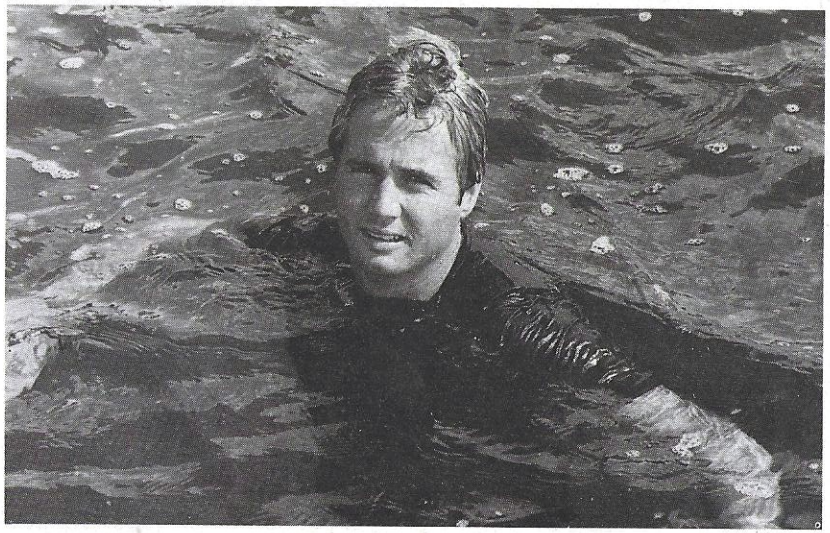

Night Life

CARNIVAL'S CABLE BEACH RIVIERA TOWERS – Cable Beach. **The Goombay Bar** is located on the lobby level under the gazebos with a lovely ocean view and provides full bar service. Tel. 327-6000.

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Spectacular shows characterize Bahama night life.

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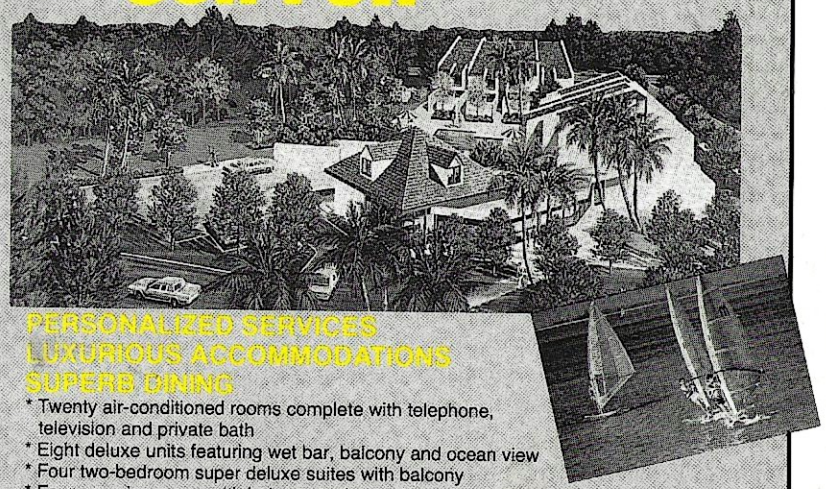

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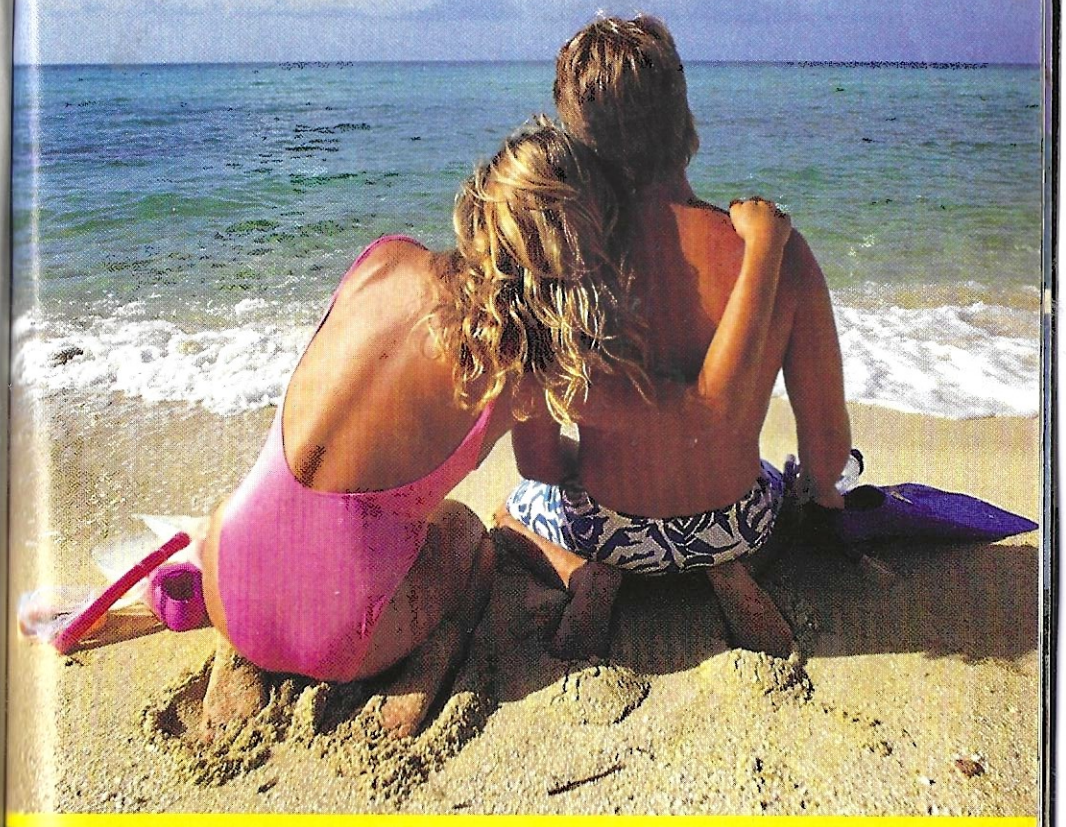

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LIGHTHOUSE BEACH HOTEL – Located on West Bay St., opposite the beach. A charming hotel featuring 94 air-conditioned rooms, telephones

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Discover the culinary expertise of our award-winning Executive Chef Charles Smith... Specializing in cuisine that surpasses every expectation.

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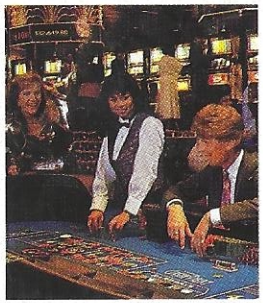
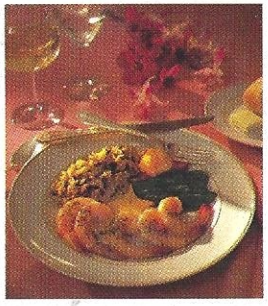
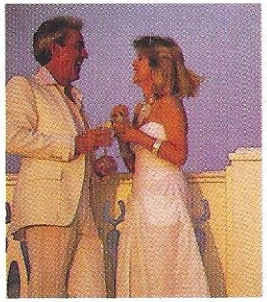

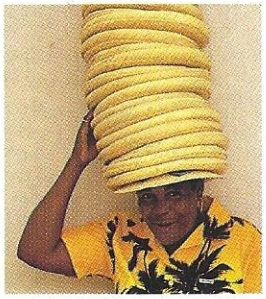
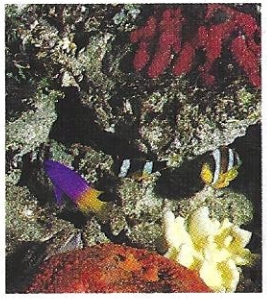

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Seaside Buffet – Tropical buffets for breakfast, lunch and dinner.
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Bay West
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The Bahamian Riviera

THE GREAT RESORTS & CASINO OF CABLE BEACH.

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ago when he was hired for a two-week stint in *Day of the Dolphin*. His most recent work was for *The Abyss,* a $30 million full-length feature slated for release in the summer of 1989.

The Abyss is "a movie that has everything," McKinney said. It features sabotage, love, action, underwater drama, suspense and NTIs. (The latter is an acronym for Non-Terrestrial Intelligents. Hollywood doesn't call them aliens from Outer Space anymore).

While working on *The Abyss* in South Carolina, McKinney had to interrupt his work and return to Nassau – to film for a German television series. He has been on the cover of American Cinematographer and once worked on four James Bond thrillers. He also performed with Sidney Poitier in *Shoot to Kill*.

Grand Bahama Island, as well as New Providence Island, is the site of considerable underwater thespian projects. The video shop at Freeport/Lucaya's Underwater Explorers' Society (UNEXSO) is increasingly popular with divers who want to preserve their "sea-fari" adventures for all time.

In short, smile when you say hello to Harry, the Grouper, or Charley, the Tuna. When we see you in the movies, we want you to look your best.

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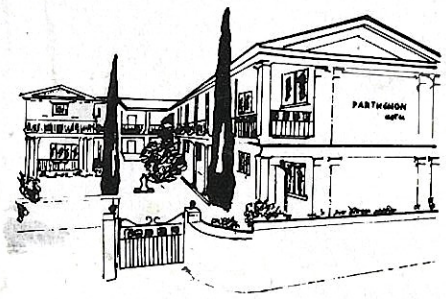
PARTHENON HOTEL



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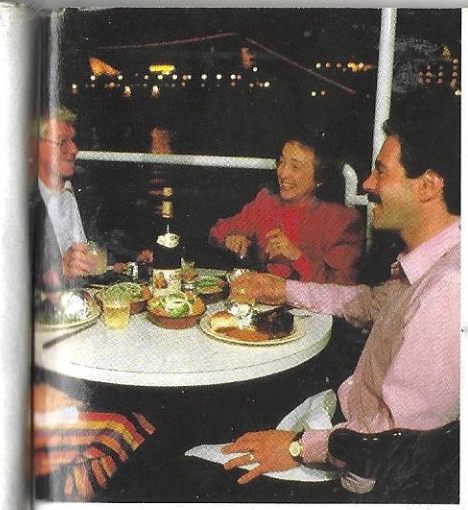

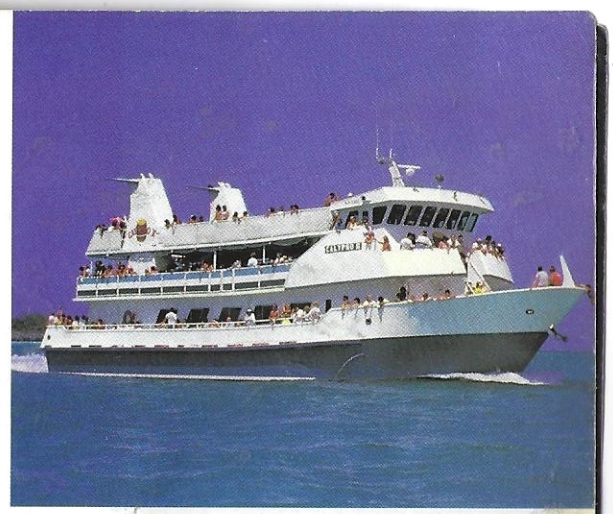

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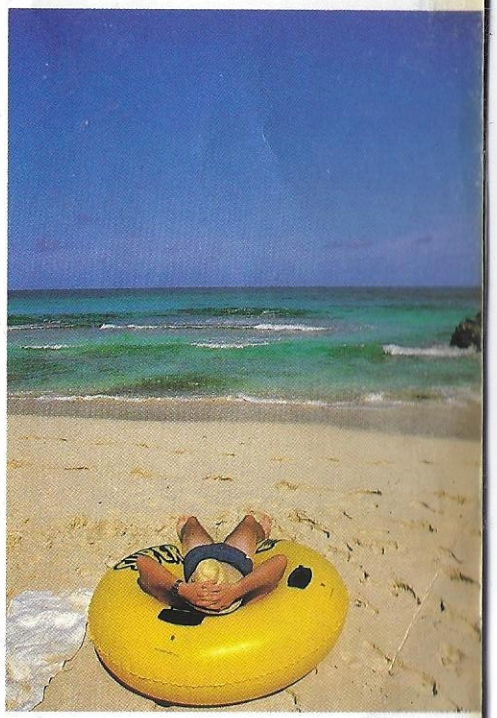

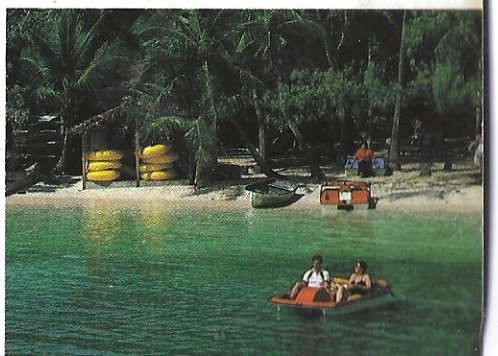

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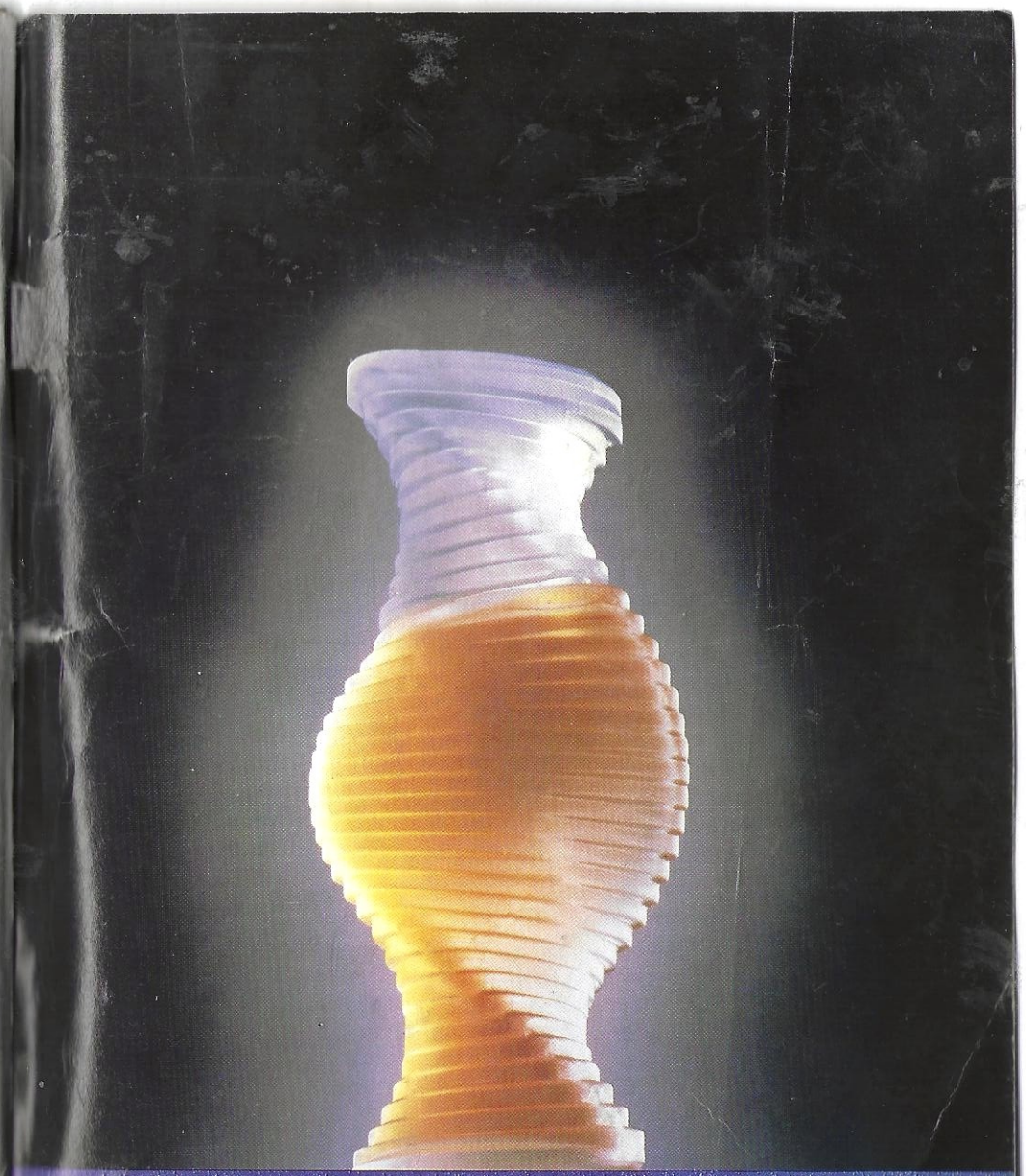

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